

## "REDLINE" ROUTE UNIQUE HIGHWAY

TOUCHES SMALL TOWNS INSTEAD  
OF THE CITIES.

## MARYVILLE TO NORTH IOWA LAKE DISTRICT

Markings Are Finished, Being Placed  
in Nodaway County by Committee  
of Commercial Club.

A new highway, the "Redline," from Maryville and northwest Missouri to the lake district of northern Iowa is now completely marked and opened up for travel. The markings which were made by the Maryville Commercial club's highway committee begin at Twelfth and Mulberry streets, one block north of the water tower, and go through Nodaway county.

The route is distinctive in several ways. It does not start at any large city and run to another. It is remarkably free from hills and bridges and the crossings are in fine shape wherever streams are encountered. It is also unusually direct to a region which is becoming more popular each year as a summer resort.

Another unique feature of the highway is that it touches the small towns and runs between the larger places which already have highways. The desire for good roads is spreading until the smaller communities are demanding them.

The "Redline" is principally the result of the work of T. A. Harris of Newmarket, Ia. He has been the chief backer of the highway whose marker is a red band with a white band on each side. It crosses other well known highways at several towns.

**Some Towns It Touches.**

The route runs north from the Board corner, about half way between Hopkins and Clearmont, to Siam and on to Newmarket, Ia. From there it touches Villisca and on to Atlantic.

Although more direct routes lead to Omaha and to Sioux City, it provides a diversion for those who desire a different road in making the trip by motor either going or coming. Organizations have been formed along the route who are pledged to keep the roads in good shape.

So if Maryville should fail to get the Jefferson highway, we still have the Saints, and can lay claim to being the terminus of another route.

**In St. Joseph With Cattle.**

W. C. Whitely, Clearmont; E. F. Caldwell, Burlington Junction; S. M. Rodman, Quitman; Fred Wray, Joe Halker and Halmer & Arnes, Hopkins; Jos. Everhous, Pickering; W. H. Ramsey and J. O. Meeks, Arkoe; D. Henderson, Guilford; Horton & Dougan, Ravenwood; C. E. Bishop, Parnell; Sherman Calkins and Harry Young, Sheridan, were in St. Joseph with cattle yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Leet and Miss Lillian Carpenter are spending the day in St. Joseph.

Miss Eva Farrar has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Poland-China Record association, commencing work Wednesday.

## CHICAGO MAN AT SUPPER

Rev. C. R. Haudenschild Talks to First Methodist Brotherhood at Annual Game Meal.

A large crowd of men of the First Methodist Church Brotherhood and their women friends enjoyed a fine meal at the game supper of the church last night. After the routine business had been passed over, the pastor, Mr. Cox, spoke briefly on the relation of the men and women in the church.

The Rev. Charles R. Haudenschild of Chicago, who with his wife, is visiting Mrs. Haudenschild's mother, Mrs. J. V. Embree, spoke upon the relation of the pastor to his church and the relation of the church to the community.

## THEY'RE SHOPPING EARLY

MANY OUT-OF-TOWN BUYERS IN  
MARYVILLE THIS WEEK.

Ideal Weather, Attractive Offers and  
Good Roads Makes Thursday a Big,  
Busy Day for the Merchants.

Maryville stores are thronged this week with Christmas shoppers from every part of the county. The merchants have a line of high class Christmas gift suggestions attractively displayed, with prices right, and the buyers are taking advantage of this by doing their shopping early. Only twelve more shopping days till Christmas.

C. J. Killian and son of Gaynor; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breit, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gray, Parnell; T. R. Crater, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gay, Ravenwood; R. W. Ambrose, Glen and W. S. Swinford, Bedison; Pleas Smith, Maitland; Joe Skidmore, Dave McKee, Guilford; Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pence and daughter, Clearmont; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens of Quitman, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cody of Cody, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmichael and Mrs. Tom Carmichael of Pickering.

Mrs. Truman Kellogg, Mrs. J. W. Miller and Mrs. Perry Messick of Bolekow, Mrs. M. C. Beaton, Misses Eva and Emma Davis, Barnard.

## LIEUT. HOLT COMES TONIGHT

Waldo, Son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Holt,  
is On Month's Leave From Subma-  
rine H-2 at San Diego.

Lieutenant Waldo Holt of the H-2 submarine, stationed at San Diego, Cal., will arrive this evening on a visit to his father, L. R. Holt. He has an absence leave of a month.

Mr. Holt was here just a year ago and went to the coast, where he has been on the Pacific the past year. He graduated from Annapolis in 1912.

**Moving to Texas.**

W. B. Hanna and son, Elmer, will leave Monday for Rock Island, Texas, where they will make their future home. Mrs. Hanna and two children will leave in a week or ten days to join Mr. Hanna and son.

**To Omaha.**

Mrs. M. E. Farrar will leave in the morning for Omaha, where she will attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Perrin, and Mr. Perrin. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar will accompany her.

George A. Pickens returned today from a business trip to Kansas City and Emporia, Kan.

## MEN MEET TONIGHT

TEN APPOINTED FROM EACH  
CHURCHES FOR CENSUS.

## TO GO IN SQUADS OF TWO

Town Will Be Districted to Get In-  
formation About Religious  
Affiliations.

The ten men appointed by each pastor from the five Protestant churches to make a religious census of the city of Maryville will meet tonight at 7:30 at the First Methodist church. They will form into squads of two each and the city will be districted by wards and blocks.

Cards will be furnished the men upon which to gather the information. A card will suffice for each house, as it has blanks for father, mother, children and roomers. The ages of the young people will be sought, their church membership or preference, their Sunday school attendance, and whether their membership is in a Maryville church or elsewhere.

Those holding letters in their possession will also be listed. The cards provide a check for those not at home or those who refuse information. It also tells whether the occupants of each house are white or colored. The Rev. G. S. Cox, chairman of the Ministerial Alliance, will be at the head of the work.

The men who have been asked to work upon the committee from the Presbyterian church are: Howard Watson, W. H. Crawford, Roy Curfman, W. G. Sawyers, Ben Davis, C. E. Wells, O. L. Holmes, H. Barton, Wilfred Wakeman and Charles Wadley.

From the Buchanan Street Methodist church: M. A. Peery, Dan R. Baker, L. P. Colvin, James Muntz, R. C. Seals, John H. Porter, J. H. Thorp, Harold Seelman, A. T. Stinson and Ed Dale.

From the First Methodist church: Emmett Scott, L. B. Tracy, H. E. Wright, S. H. Kemp, Fred Curfman, George Moore, Walter Wray, Chester Bennett, George Herren, T. L. Wadley. From the Christian church: Ellis G. Cook, A. L. Nash, Mayor U. S. Wright, Newton Hagins, Guy Henry, Henry Westfall, E. F. Hamlin, H. B. Schuler, J. H. Saylor, Harry Lyle.

The Baptist church will draw their ten names from the following list: Dr. K. R. Malotte, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, G. B. Holmes, Frank Reynolds, L. S. Yowell, Al Drago, Ira Morton, Martin Borrusch, William Everhart, Clyde Bliss, Ed McDonald, W. A. Burris, Ed Brewer, George Crowson, Clyde Adcock, Ernest Glover.

The men were selected by the pastors working with the presidents of the Men's clubs.

## Union Meeting Announced.

After the federated efforts of the day the churches will meet in a union service of reception for the Rev. C. Emerson Miller, the new pastor of the Christian church. This final announcement was made by the Rev. G. S. Cox, who will make the address of welcome to Mr. Miller, as the chairman of the Ministerial Alliance.

The sermon will be by the new pastor and the music arrangements are under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler and the choir of the Christian church.

## IMPRESSION LASTED 30 YRS.

When P. W. Snyder of Alaska Wanted  
to Buy Cattle He Returned to  
Nodaway County.

P. W. Snyder of Skagway, Alaska, was in Maryville yesterday and inspected the herd of Shorthorns of Belows Bros., with a view of buying for his ranch in Oregon.

Mr. Snyder was a visitor here thirty years ago, when he attended the Nodaway county fair, and he saw such fine stock on exhibition that when he wanted to buy he thought he would come back here and inspect the herds.

Miss Agnes Sorenson of Woodbine, Ia., was here today en route to Hopkins, where she will be the guest of Miss Lottie Loudon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Houchins and daughter, Miss Blanche, and son, Wayne, were here today from Grant City, en route to Hopkins, where they will make their home on the McGuire farm.

**STAR THEATER TONIGHT,**  
Two-Part Drama  
"A PILLAR OF FLAME,"  
"IN THE AMAZON JUNGLE,"  
And a Comedy.  
5 AND 10 CENTS.

## HOPEWELL IN RUINS TODAY

Virginia Powder Town Has Property  
Loss of Two Million and 10,000  
Are Homeless.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Hopewell, Va., Dec. 10.—Hopewell, the boom town of 25,000, founded by the Du Pont Powder Company, is in ruins and desolation today while rescue parties search for bodies in the blackened embers.

There are ten thousand homeless people that have lost all. The property damage is estimated from one to two million dollars. A state investigation will probably be ordered immediately.

## GIRL'S CHARRED BODY FOUND.

No Identification Can Be Made, But  
Thought to Be Student.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
New Orleans, Dec. 10.—The charred body of a young girl was found in the yard of a Camp street residence yesterday.

Although there is no identification, it is believed to be that of a student of a fashionable girl's school nearby, who has been missing.

## MUST GET TOGETHER

NOT CHURCH UNION NECESSARILY,  
BUT CO-OPERATION.

## WAR FRUIT OF DIVISION

Common Problems Must Be Met With  
Federated Efforts, Say Conven-  
tion Speakers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Columbus, Dec. 10.—President Wilson arrived at 8:48 o'clock this morning and was greeted by large and enthusiastic crowds.

He retired to the hotel until time to make the address at the chamber of commerce luncheon at the Masonic temple. He will address the church federation later.

Columbus, O., Dec. 10.—Violent conflicts between capitalistic and labor classes in farming communities may develop over the country unless something is done soon to prevent the growing tendency toward the system of absentee landlord, Rev. Harry F. Ward of Boston, told the commission on church and country life in an address here last night.

Fred B. Smith, New York business man and originator of the men and religion movement, in an address tonight deplored the existence of so many church denominations working independently of each other. Meetings of the federal council of churches are being held simultaneously with those of the commission. President Wilson will speak tonight.

Mr. Smith, in his address, said: "The present war is a fruit of divided Christianity. There was Christian sentiment enough in the world, if there had been a method which could have brought its full impact to bear upon the contending nations, to have absolutely prevented this outbreak. If the old order is to be continued, the same thing will occur again, earlier or later. Not politicians, nor kings, but an united voice of the believers in the Gospel of Jesus Christ will some day fix the standards of world peace. This alone is sufficient to demand a united church."

"The aloof denominational attempt to extend Christianity to the non-Christian world has proved a flat ridiculous failure," said Mr. Smith. "The task of proper, forceful, continuous religious education is unsolved up to this date. We have been depending on a thirty-minute period per week in the Sunday school for a few children, a smattering in the home for a yet smaller company, the pulpit for another group, and an annual spell of hysterical revival for the least number, as means for teaching the truths of God. A united Christianity alone can meet the need. Fifty-seven different varieties will be repudiated soon. A world reduced to a neighborhood demands a common religion."

**Sectarian a Denominational Bully.**

"The narrow, offensive church sectarian and denominational bully can no longer represent Christianity in this country, whatever their church affiliations. Growing co-operation among churches will at once rid all communities of such intolerant men."

This assertion by Rev. John M.

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## PETIT JURY DRAWN

FOR JANUARY CIRCUIT COURT  
MONDAY, 17TH.

## WILL ADJOURN TONIGHT

Heller's Saloon License, Another  
Lowering of Assessment, Other  
Acts of County Court.

The county court selected the petit jury for the January term of circuit court, which will convene on Monday, January 17. The following were chosen:

Aitchison—Ed Clutter.  
Grant—John Perkins and W. C. Parrish.  
Green—Dan Woods.  
Hopkins—James Sturgeon and T. S. Ingram.  
Hughes—H. D. Schull and Thomas Groves.  
Independence—William Killian and John A. Sparks.  
Jackson—W. B. Ferguson.  
Jefferson—P. Durbin and R. W. Graham.  
Lincoln—Miles Fast and O. S. Tuder.

Monroe—B. F. Bagley.  
Nodaway—Charles Walker.  
Polk—John Diss, M. C. Baublitts, Dan Donahue and Lon Hughes.  
Union—W. W. Porterfield.  
Washington—George Rimel.  
White Cloud—N. A. Lawrence.

The court will adjourn this evening. Before adjournment they will grant a saloon license to W. A. Heller.

The assessment of H. B. Meyer was lowered from \$3,000 to \$2,400 on his statement that he had been erroneously assessed.

Judges Blackford and Farnan will go to Clearmont tomorrow to look over a road that will be improved. Judge E. T. Bailey, the other member of the court, was not in attendance at the court meeting this week on account of sickness. He is much better today.

## GOOD S. S. CROWD EXPECTED

President Desires Large Attendance  
Because Standardizing Require-  
ments Are to Be Presented.

The indications are that a large delegation from the Sunday schools of Polk township will attend the meeting of the association at the Christian church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The president, G. B. Roseberry is very desirous of a general attendance because the program is built around the changes which are necessary in order to standardize all the schools of the township and Maryville, so that they may follow the requirements of the international Sunday school committee.

The program is as follows:  
Devotional, led by Rev. G. S. Cox.  
Address, "Polk Township Sunday School Association," by G. B. Roseberry, president.

"The Rural Church a Community Center," by C. E. Wells.

"Value of Organized Primary Department and Cradle Roll," by Miss N. Elizabeth Evans.

"Activities of a Teen Age Class," by Miss Fannie Hope.

"Value of Story Telling," by Miss Julia Denny.

"Value of a Home Department," by Mrs. Al Hefflin.

"Organized Adult Work," by Rev. R. C. Holliday.

"A Mission Department in Sunday School," by Mrs. O. C. Hanna.

A report of the State Sunday School convention, by Miss Eva M. Davis.  
Temperance, by W. W. Glass.  
Organization, by H. C. Bower.

## First Electrocuting in Oklahoma.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
McAllister, Dec. 10.—Henry Bookman, a negro, was electrocuted early this morning. He was the first victim of the electric chair in Oklahoma. E. H. Hardin, whose son Bookman killed, was a witness.

Mrs. O. C. Wallace and baby left today for Mound City, called by the serious illness of the former's aunt, Mrs. A. Hageman.

Mrs. Mary Hook left this morning for Kansas City, where she will visit Mrs. J. D. Miller.

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\* THE WEATHER \*  
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Rain or snow tonight and colder; Saturday snow and much colder; fresh winds.

## NOW IT IS A KANSAS BANK

Daily Robbery in Middle West is at  
Everest, Near Atchison, When Four  
Men Got \$1,500.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Atchison, Kan., Dec. 10.—The State bank at Everest near here robbed of \$1,500 by four robbers. The robbers escaped after one chased the marshal away with gun.

## LOCAL COACHES TO TARKIO

Meeting Called by J. C. Elder of Col-  
lege Will Hear Basket Ball Men on  
New Rules—Schedules Also.

Coach Paul Becker and Principal George F. McGrew of the Maryville high school and Coaches Walter Hanson and George Palfreyman of the State Normal school will go to Tarkio tomorrow to attend a meeting of the athletic representatives from north-west Missouri.

The meeting has been called by J. C. Elder, athletic director of Tarkio college. It will be addressed by several referees and men high up in basket ball, who will discuss the changes in the rules this year and their practical application.

Many schedules will be completed at the gathering also.

## SMITH SENSATIONAL

SENATOR DEMANDS ACTION BY U.  
S. AGAINST ENGLAND.

## EMBARGO ON FOOD STUFF

May Ask Recall of Austrian Consul.  
General—House in Session  
Twenty Minutes.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Washington, Dec. 10.—Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, in a sensational speech in the senate this afternoon, supported his resolution to have congress probe British interference with American shipping.

He declared that the United States must notify Great Britain that this government will omit no word or act to enforce its rights upon the high seas. The senator made it plain that he believed it is "up to" congress to seek the remedy if that nation refused to heed the warning.

Smith intimated that one of the best weapons available would be an embargo on the exportation of foodstuffs.

## May Ask Recall of Austrians.

It is understood on the authority of a high official that the cancellation of the credentials of Von Nuber, consul-general for the Austrian government, will be the answer of the United States to the demand of Austria-Hungary that the department of justice of this nation withdraw its charges that Von Nuber plotted to destroy munition plants.

Similar action is reported imminent in the case of at least three other Austrian consular representatives.

The house of representatives remained in session twenty minutes this morning and adjourned until Tuesday noon. The senate met at noon to receive the recess appointments of President Wilson.

## Was Former Barnard Pastor.

Rev. William Campbell Rogers, who died Monday night near Plattsburg, Mo., was formerly a pastor of the Christian church at Barnard. He was 88 years old and burial was at Cameron. His wife died eight years ago.

Mrs. M. J. Nicholas left this morning for Atchison, Kan., where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Battles.

## PEACE TALK STILL FLOATING ROUND

GERMAN SOCIALISTS ENDORSE  
CHANCELLOR'S POSITION.

## SWISS HEAR OF RIOT IN BERLIN STREETS

Meanwhile Allies' Troops Are Being  
Forced in Greece by Bulgarian  
Attacks.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Berlin, Dec. 10.—At a meeting of the Socialist Democratic party attended by a majority of the members, resolutions were adopted declaring Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's answer to question Schodemann satisfactory as shown that the government has no desire to annex territory.

## Terms of Peace from Pope.

Rome, Dec. 10.—Cardinal Hartman is rumored to be the bearer of the German peace terms for the Pope. He left Rome at midnight for Berlin. It is understood that the Cardinal will meet the Kaiser in Berlin.

## Hungary Wants Peace.

London, Dec. 10.—A Geneva dispatch says Hungary resolved to make peace without the consent of Germany and Austria.

## In Greece in 72 Hours.

London, Dec. 10.—Furious fighting by the French and Bulgarians is progressing very near the frontier of Greece. If the Bulgarians will be able to continue their advance battle may be shifted to Greek soil within seventy-two hours.

Bulgarian flanking movement at Tchernava river compelled the French to return east ward as well as southwards. Sofia claims the attempt to invade Bulgaria a complete failure.

## Austrian-Italian Naval Battle.

Athens, Dec. 10.—Austrian-Italian naval squadrons reported to have engaged in a naval battle on the Adriatic Thursday according to advices received by the diplomats here. No information as to the outcome have reached Athens. It is reported that the Austrians bombarding San Giovanni Di Medu in Northern Albania when Italian squadron gave battle.

## Italians Define Better.

Udine Dec. 10.—Italians before Gorizia strengthened their position by capturing Austrian defensive work on Calvary Heights, a west Issonzo fortresses.

## Bulgarian Raids Into Greece.

Saloniki, Dec. 10.—Strong bands of Bulgarian irregulars penetrated Greek territory. It is officially stated in the Macedonia headquarters of the French staff. The invasion was made to cut railroad lines.

## Peace Riots in Berlin.

London, Dec. 10.—Switzerland dispatches report peace riots in Berlin and other cities. Zurich dispatches say Berlin rioters were charged by the police. Before they were dispersed windows, stores and cafes were smashed.

## French Army in Greece.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Anglo-French army in Serbia retreated to Greek soil before the advance of the Teutonic allies, according to military information.

## Allies Urge Greek Action.

Athens, Dec. 10.—The allies are urging the Greek government to clear up the uncertainty of their present position, owing to the critical military situation. The representatives declare that it is essential that the entente have freedom for the moving of their troops.

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**in THE CONFLICT in two acts**  
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## Household Goods For Sale

Having decided to locate in Texas within the next month, I will offer at private sale, all of my household goods. If in need of any household goods see me at once, as they will be disposed of immediately. Phone Hanamo No. 30.

**J. D. FRANK,**

611 North Market Street.

Maryville, Mo.

**Our Special Saturday, Dec. 11**

**Home-made Candy 25c**  
**3 pounds - - - 25c**

**Bananas, 2 dozen 25c**

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### Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district, subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

### FANCY STEERS TO MARKET

Caldwells Send Prize Cattle to St. Joseph for Christmas Trade—E. F. at Chicago Meeting.

C. D. and E. F. Caldwell shipped a fancy load of Angus steers to the St. Joseph market yesterday. Edwin went with the shipment and will return this evening. The load was composed of fifteen fine Angus steers, which the Caldwell had fitted for the Panama exposition and the international.

In the herd is a steer that won seven premiums and was grand champion steer at the live stock show in St. Joseph in 1914. Fancy cattle for the Christmas trade are being sold in Chicago and St. Joseph today, and Caldwell were requested by the packers to market theirs at St. Joseph.

Edwin F. Caldwell spent last week in Chicago attending a number of meetings being held there by the United States department of agriculture with reference to the foot and mouth disease, which has caused such great loss in several of the corn belt states.—Burlington Junction Post.

### EVERETT KEMP AT JUNCTION.

B. J. H. S. Lecture Course Next Wednesday.

Everett Kemp, monologist and entertainer, will appear on the Burlington Junction public school lecture course, with one of his popular entertainments, next Wednesday night.

Mr. Kemp's reputation as an entertainer is well known, and our people may expect something unusually good when he is here. It is said to be impossible to have the blues while M. Kemp is around, so there must be a lot of good laughs in his entertainment.—Burlington Junction Post.

### Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

**Rexall Orderlies**

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.  
Greer-Heury Drug Co.

### MONTGOMERY'S DEFEAT RAINES.

Henry Lifted High Score and Average to 163 and 144.

The high score and average goes on up every night of the bowling tournament at the Yeo alleys. Last night Guy Henry of the Basfords made 163 and 144 score and average. The scores were all better than formerly last night.

Montgomery Shoe Co. team won two out of three games from the Basford's Hand-Mades last night. H. L. Raines team plays the DeHart & Holmes team Tuesday night.

Montgomery Shoe Co. team—  
Becker ..... 119 153 135  
Saunders ..... 131 158 123  
Stapler ..... 113 137 131

Totals ..... 363 453 389  
Basford's Hand-Mades—  
Wray ..... 122 101 116  
Henry ..... 144 163 127  
Yantis ..... 107 89 133

Totals ..... 373 353 376

### WAS A BIG SALE.

Sale of Wm. Workman and Pleas Griffey Amounted to \$11,000.

The closing out sale of Wm. Workman and Pleas Griffey was held yesterday and amounted to between \$10,000 and \$11,000. Good prices were received, cows bringing from \$45 to \$75 per head, yearling heifers averaging \$66 a head, 2-year-old heifers with first calf \$70, 2-year-old steers \$65, and fifty calves, not early, an average of \$30 per head. Corn brought 60 cents to 66 cents a bushel, there being 2,500 bushels. The auctioneer was R. P. Hosmer, with S. H. Kemp as clerk.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

# Great Holiday Sale

## Maryville Furniture Company

**Beginning December 11  
Closing December 24**

We are adopting a new feature by putting on our winter sales just before instead of the Holiday Season, thereby giving Holiday Shoppers the benefit of our Greatly Reduced Prices in all Departments.

*Read Our Prices and See What We Can Save You:*

### LIBRARY TABLES

This is the greatest offering ever made in any sale and includes all Library Tables in stock. Many are in the new period designs. There could be no more appreciative gift.

\$ 6.50 Library Tables	\$ 5.48
8.00 Library Tables	7.20
9.00 Library Tables	8.20
10.00 Library Tables	8.95
12.50 Library Tables	10.45
13.50 Library Tables	11.90
15.00 Library Tables	13.65
16.50 Library Tables	14.20
18.50 and \$18.00 Library Tables	16.30
20.00 Library Tables	16.70
25.00 Library Tables	21.25

### ROCKERS

Few are the homes that have no place for a nice new Rocker. Get one for some member of the family at these reduced prices.

\$ 3.50 Rockers at	\$ 2.95
4.00 Rockers at	3.30
5.50 and \$5.00 Rockers at	4.39
6.50 and \$6.00 Rockers at	4.98
7.50 Rockers at	6.48
8.50 Rockers at	7.25
9.50 and \$9.00 Rockers at	8.19
10.00 Rockers at	8.69
12.00 and \$11.50 Rockers at	9.90
15.00 and \$14.50 Rockers at	12.70
18.50 Rockers at	14.60
20.00 Rockers at	16.39
22.50 Rockers at	18.90
25.00 Rockers at	18.98

### DINING TABLES

These are shown as low as \$4.95; others at \$7.10, \$8.90 and higher. Square designs; also some round tables lower than those quoted.

\$15.00 Tables at	\$13.20
17.50 Tables at	15.30
19.00 Tables at	16.95
20.00 Tables at	17.69
22.50 Tables at	18.80
25.00 Tables at	21.70
30.00 Tables at	26.20
35.00 Tables at	29.85
45.00 Tables at	39.45

### CHIFFONNIERS

\$22.50 Chiffoniers at	\$18.60
\$18.50 Chiffoniers at	15.95
14.00 Chiffoniers at	11.90
10.00 Chiffoniers at	8.98

### BUFFETS

25 different patterns and finishes — A chance you seldom get to buy a Buffet at the prices we are giving for this sale.

\$65.00 Buffets at	\$56.95
60.00 Buffets at	52.45
45.00 Buffets at	39.50
40.00 Buffets at	34.69
\$35.00 Buffets at	29.48
32.50 and \$30.00 Buffets at	27.39
26.50 Buffets at	22.40
25.00 Buffets at	21.69
24.00 and \$22.50 Buffets at	19.40
19.00 Buffets at	17.25

### CHINA CLOSETS

Every China Closet in the house Specially priced.

\$50.00 China Closets at	\$43.75
35.00 China Closets at	29.69
27.50 China Closets at	24.20
25.00 China Closets at	21.75
22.50 China Closets at	16.69
18.50 China Closets at	16.45
14.50 China Closets at	12.95

### IRON BEDS

We have the best factories in the market on these lines.

Every bed specially priced.

\$ 3.50 Iron Beds	\$ 3.19
4.50 Iron Beds	4.19
5.50 Iron Beds	4.69
6.50 Iron Beds	5.60
7.50 Iron Beds	6.39
8.50 Iron Beds	7.30
9.50 Iron Beds	8.25
11.50 Iron Beds	8.95
14.50 and \$14.00 Iron Beds	11.69
18.50, \$17.50 and \$16.50 Iron Beds	14.69
20.00 Iron Beds	17.30

### RED TAG SPECIALS

Besides the above we have a number of specials on which we have a greater reduction. Some prices cut one-half. Watch for Red Tags.

We are quoting prices on a few lines only. But everything in the house will be reduced in price.

### SPECIAL DELIVERY

Holiday goods will be held at the store and delivered anywhere in the city the day you wish.

### SIDEBOARDS

\$17.50 Sideboards at	\$15.69
20.00 Sideboards at	17.39
25.00 and \$22.50 Sideboards at	19.98
30.00 Sideboards at	24.75

These are worth looking over.

### DRESSERS

Of all kinds and finishes. Mahogany, Circassian Walnut, Golden Oak, Bird's Eye Maple Every one with a Special price.

\$75.00 Solid Mahogany Dresser at	\$63.30
45.00 Dressers at	37.35
40.00 Dressers at	32.70
38.50 Dressers at	33.45
35.00 Dressers at	29.95
30.00 Dressers at	24.80
28.50 Dressers at	23.35
25.00 and \$24.00 Dressers at	21.69
22.50 Dressers at	18.95
20.00 Dressers at	17.65
18.50 Dressers at	16.39
16.50 Dressers at	14.89
15.00 Dressers at	13.25
13.50 Dressers at	11.90
12.50 Dressers at	10.90
11.50 Dressers at	9.90

### BED DAVENPORTS

Take any one of them at these Special prices and you have a bargain and a good Christmas Gift.

\$45.00 Davenport at	\$39.75
40.00 Davenport at	34.85
35.00 Davenport at	31.80
30.00 Davenport at	27.35
28.50 Davenport at	26.69
\$25.00 Davenport at	22.20

### SPECIAL BARGAINS

We cannot quote prices on all lines, hence we list a few lines on which we will have special sale prices. These lines include the following:

Smoking Cabinets	Sewing Cabinets
Cedar Chests	Framed Mirrors
Magazine Racks	Costumes
Tea Wagons	Pedestals
Vacuum Sweepers	Foot Stools
Children's Rockers	Hall Trees
Brass Beds	Ladies' Desks
	Dressing Tables

You are invited to inspect these exceptional values which all know are unusual in the height of the Holiday Season. Come in and be convinced that these prices are *Real Reductions* and that this store is the *Pacemaker for Low Price*.

## Maryville Furniture Company

North Main Street

J. E. BAILEY, Manager

### Like to Meet Maryville Debaters.

U. A. Anderson is considered one of the best debaters in this neighborhood. In fact, there are several good ones that we would like to pit against Hopkins talent at some open meeting of the Clyde council. Maryville is not barred, either, if she wishes to get in,

the men out here feeling that they can hold Wes Blagg or any other of the big guns level.—Good Hope Correspondent in Hopkins Journal.

Dr. Will Wallis left last night for Kansas City, where he will transact business.

## A Correction

A MISTAKE WAS MADE IN OUR ADVERTISEMENT LAST NIGHT IN QUOTING PRICES ON WOOL DRESS GOODS. CORRECT PRICES ARE AS FOLLOWS—

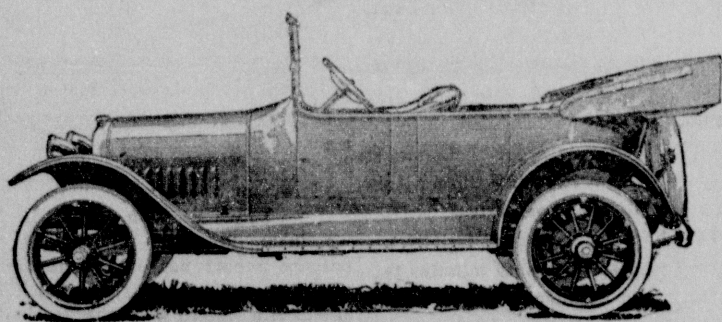
\$3.00 VALUES	\$1.50
\$2.50 VALUES	\$1.25
\$2.00 VALUES	\$1.55
\$1.50 VALUES	\$1.23
\$1.00 VALUES	.75c

OUR BIG DECEMBER CLEARANCE SALE IS NOW IN PROGRESS AND WILL CLOSE SATURDAY NIGHT, DEC. 18th. DON'T FAIL TO READ OUR ADVERTISEMENT IN LAST NIGHT'S PAPER.

YOU CAN SAVE BIG MONEY ON JUST THE MERCHANDISE YOU ARE NEEDING NOW.

## D. R. Eversole & Son

### Model 22 VELIE



### TOURING CAR

**f. o. b. \$1065**  
factory

HAS VELIE CONTINENTAL SIX CYLINDER MOTOR, 40 horse power, roomy body of true boat streamline in rich Velie blue, with pure white fine line stripe. Multiple dry disc clutch. Automatic ignition system. Double bulb headlights. Hotchkiss drive. Spiral gears in floating rear axle. Velie Stewart vacuum feed with 15-gallon rear tank. One man top, instant curtains. 32x4 tires with non-skid on rear. This represents the most advanced requirements of silent, supple, six-cylinder power with low weight.

This new VELIE weighs less than 2500 pounds.

Long underslung rear springs supported at an extreme width. Deep tufted real leather upholstery over natural curled hair and perfect balance give a sense of restful luxury not found in other cars.

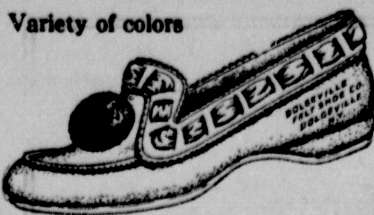
This is your first opportunity to secure a car of VELIE quality and workmanship at a low price. Investigate and compare. Demonstration at your convenience.

Firestone and Goodrich Tires

**J. H. Sewell**  
MARYVILLE, MO.



Variety of colors



As a Gift

## Comfy Slippers

Why not  
?

They combine all that  
could be desired in a  
Christmas Gift

- Ease
- Warmth
- Restfulness
- Foot Comfort

Appropriate

Have you  
Seen Them?

Montgomery Shoe  
Company

Fancy lump coal, \$3.25 per ton at  
car. Glover & Alexander. 10-11

## FARMING AS BUSINESS

FARMERS' WEEK SPEAKERS WILL  
DISCUSS SUBJECT.

Will Try to Tell Why One Man Makes  
\$2 Where Other Can Produce  
Only One.

Have you noticed that of two farmers, given equal advantages, one makes about two dollars while the other makes one, and have you tried to figure out just how he does this? The College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri has placed on the program of the Farmers' Short Course, the part of the College of Agriculture in the Farmers' Week program, January 3 to 7, men who have noticed this and who have found reasons for it. These men will talk about farming as a business.

Not all the course of lectures on the business side of farming will be taken up with discussions of prices, marketing, standardization and co-operation, though these will be considered. Men will talk about farm records—of what records should be kept, what they should show and in what form they are most easily made. Charts and lantern slides will show copies of actual records. There will be four lectures on farm records and accounts.

The importance to the farmer of a good-sized business, several sources of income, high yields, good live stock, and keeping all labor on the farm regularly employed at productive work will be illustrated by data taken from Missouri farms. Large numbers of successful farmers will be compared with less successful ones in an effort to find some reasons for the greater success.

Talks on filling corners, or the profit side of farming, will be made to show some sidelines that can be carried on to increase profits. For example, the profit from selling part of a crop of corn grown from pure bred seed for seed purposes with very little added cost of production, will be pointed out.

The talks on farm management and the business side of farming will be under the direction of O. R. Johnson,

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY  
DANDRUFF, AND HAIR  
STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair. Make It Thick,  
Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful  
at Once.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A 25-cent bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

D. H. Doane, S. D. Grömer and R. M. Green of the College of Agriculture. These men will be aided by practical farmers from various parts of the state.

Albany Men at Burlington Junction.

A party of men from the vicinity of Albany were in Burlington Junction Friday investigating the success of the new channel of the Nodaway river. There is a move on foot to straighten the Grand river, near Albany, and the men came to Nodaway county to investigate the merits of the improvement.

## Christmas Parcels

MAIL EARLY.  
WRAP SECURELY.  
ADDRESS PLAINLY.

All Christmas packages should be mailed early so as to avoid congesting the mails; to wrap them securely to insure their safe-carriage; and to address them plainly in order that they may be promptly delivered.

Insure your packages and where the value is \$5 or less, it may be insured for 3 cents in addition to the regular postage.

Parcels may be marked "Not to be opened until Christmas" or with a similar direction.

## Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

H. L. Raines  
JEWELER & OPTICIAN  
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST WEST PAST MAIN  
MARYVILLE, MO.

## MARK'S

5, 10 and 25c Store

For Your  
Christmas Candies,  
Nuts and Fruits

Here you will find large assortment to select from and you find our prices right. Teachers and Church Committees are invited to come in and get our prices.

South Side Square

## Notice

Having installed a furnace in our Garage, we are prepared to store 15 or 20 cars at very reasonable rates. Have secured a First Class Mechanic and 2 experienced helpers and can now do your work promptly. Have 2 cars in livery. All calls answered promptly, day or night, careful drivers.

Farmers drive to a warm Garage, only 25c.

Tilson Brothers

## PUTNIK CREATED ARMY OF SERBIA

Military Maneuvers of Other  
Countries Helpful.

## SON OF A SCHOOLMASTER.

He Was Educated in Petrograd and St. Cyr and Served With Russians Against Turks and in All Balkan Wars—Going Through His Sixth Campaign at Sixty-eight.

Paris.—Field Marshal Putnik, chief of the general staff of the little Serbian army, is writing a memorable page of history with his troops, outnumbered more than two to one.

Putnik is going through his sixth campaign at sixty-eight years. A semi-invalid from asthma, he is compelled to spend the greater part of the day in an overheated room and never in the midst of his troops. He is the son of a schoolmaster who left the Banat of Hungary and the Servians there and emigrated to Belgrade. The son, the field marshal, has been a soldier all his life. His ability was early recognized by the Russian agents at Belgrade, and they arranged for his education at the military academy at Petrograd, where Grand Duke Nicholas obtained his training. From the Russian capital Putnik went to France to study at the Polytechnic and St. Cyr, this last full of memories of the great Napoleon.

As soon as his education was completed and he returned to his native land he was intrusted with the reorganization of the Serbian army. It is the product of his labors. He got his baptism of fire in 1876 in fighting against the Turks. In 1877 again he was campaigning against the sultan's soldiers, side by side with the Russians. In 1885 he fought with the Serbs



Photo by American Press Association.

FIELD MARSHAL PUTNIK.

against the Bulgars. In 1912 he was fighting the Turks with the Bulgars as allies in the first Balkan war, and at Kumanovo his gallant Serb army astonished western Europe, unacquainted with its ancient history or its modern prowess. The Turks were completely routed at Kumanovo, the Serbs, under their Crown Prince Alexander and General Bozovitch, capturing nearly 200 guns of different kinds.

In 1913 Putnik directed the Serbian army which fought with the Greeks as allies against the Bulgars in the second Balkan war, and 1915 finds him struggling without hope of success for the existence of his nation against the Bulgars, aided by the soldiers of the two great Teutonic empires.

During the reign at Belgrade of King Milan, who was favorable to Austrian influence in Serbia, General Putnik was deprived of his military command because he was too friendly to the Russians. When King Peter succeeded to the throne after the assassination of Milan's son, Alexander, and his consort, Queen Draga, Putnik was reinstated. During the interval he devoted himself to military studies and to the preparation of the war against Turkey which he clearly saw in Serbia's ambition to extend her territory over what was in the brave days of old the Serbian empire and which the sultan possessed.

He was often present at the military maneuvers in Russia, France and Germany, and from each of these armies he adopted reforms for his own. The French methods in artillery practice were introduced in Serbia as well as the Schneider-Canet guns, while his infantry was armed with Mauser rifles. Speaking and reading five languages, the military history of the world was open to him, and his soldiers were drilled in tactics as good almost as the Germans.

## SEASICKNESS FROM "MOVIES"

Recalls Trip Across Atlantic When Ships on Screen Rock.

Hutchinson, Kan.—John Stevenson, farm hand at a local dairy, had to be taken to the hospital after a picture show he saw. The films were of the navy, with a number of views showing boats rolling in high seas and all that. It was so realistic that it reminded Stevenson of his trip across the Atlantic and made him seasick.

The doctors were puzzled for quite a time to diagnose his trouble.

## BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Cold  
and Grippe Misery at Once—Don't  
Stay Stuffed Up!

You can end gripe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

Miss Irene Swinford and Miss Frances Hollowell are spending the day in St. Joseph.

## Your Suit

Cleaned  
and Pressed

\$1.00

and 50c pays  
for the pressing  
any time they need it.

Satisfaction Only

VanSteenburgh & Son  
214½ North Main — Upstairs  
Hanamo 279

## BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

HAVE GROWN TO 613 WITH 6,563  
Members.

Work Among Children Begun by University of Missouri Two Years Ago Enjoys Popularity.

The boys' and girls' clubs, under the direction of the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Missouri at Columbia, are doing for the country boys and girls what the manual training departments of the city schools are doing for city boys and girls. One Missouri county leads the United States in club membership. The clubs keep almost 7,000 country boys and girls at work along practical and definite lines.

The work of the boys' and girls' clubs was begun by the University about two years ago. Since that time, the organization has grown to 613 clubs with 6,563 members. Corn judging and sewing clubs are the most popular. Of the former there are 180 in the state. There are 271 of the latter. Other clubs deal with stock judging, poultry, pig raising, bread making and corn raising. Canning clubs are organized in the summer.

Membership in boys' and girls' clubs has practically doubled since June 1. Campaigns in Lafayette County about two months ago brought the organization of 211 clubs in that county. This is perhaps the largest number in any county in the United States. Clubs are working in about fifty Missouri counties now.

The boys' and girls' clubs are under the direction of Prof. R. H. Emberson, George W. Reavis and Miss Addie D. Root. Persons in charge of the clubs visit as many as possible during the year. Monthly rounds are made, holding contests and organizing new clubs. Members of the clubs range in ages from 10 to 18 years. Most of them are between 12 and 16 years old.

The University is trying now to aid as many rural clubs as possible. Any correspondence relative to the work of the clubs will receive prompt attention.

## For Mother

On Mothers' Day—or  
anytime—a ring is always  
appropriate. Think how  
delighted she will be at  
your thoughtfulness.

Why not make it a  
family gift—each member  
contributing a share. She  
would appreciate the sentiment all the more.

Ask to see our large assortment. We want to show you those famous W-W-W rings—backed by a guarantee against loss or cracked settings. You'll be surprised at the low cost.

\$3, \$4, \$5, \$7, \$8 and up.

DEHART & HOLMES



tention if addressed to the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Missouri, Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henson and family left this morning for Trinity, Kan., where they will make their future home.

## Box and Pie Social

Saturday Night  
December 11th

## Common Sense School

15 miles east of Maryville  
1 mile east of Orrsburg  
and 4 miles southwest  
of Parnell.

## Will There Be A Victrola In Your Home This Christmas?



There is nothing that will bring more happiness to the entire family, all the year round than a Victrola. It is a source of education as well as entertainment. One may listen to the greatest artists in the world sing from the great operas, the most celebrated orchestras and bands, the most noted singers of gospel songs and the funniest comedians.

Victrolas from \$15.00 to \$250.00 in stock for your selection. Records—we carry a large stock of standard records and get the new records as they are issued each month.

If Your Friend Has A Victrola  
Buy her records for Christmas. We will be glad to aid in making suitable selections.

## PIANOS AND PLAYER-PIANOS

We have a large stock of Pianos and Players which we will be glad to demonstrate to any who are interested. We will take your order now and deliver at any time desired. Our Auto new Truck makes it possible to make quick deliveries anywhere.

Make Christmas Selections As Early As Possible.

Landon Music Company  
Conservatory Building

## Empire Theatre, Friday, December 10

THE PECULIAR COMEDIAN

## W. B. PATTON

In The Beautiful Play

## "The Good Samaritan"

BY W. BEALFORD NOTTAP

Extravagant Production. Big Cast. The Dramatic Event of the Season

Prices: Lower Floor 75c, Balcony 25, 50 and 75c  
Seats on sale at Reuillard's Tuesday.

Pay  
By Check

## Spend Now: Then Save

During every other month of the year this Bank advises, SAVE NOW SO YOU CAN SPEND LATER. Those who have saved their money in the months gone by are in position to spend in the Christmas Season.

So, we say—Spend for Christmas—sensibly, wisely, and—enjoy the pleasure of giving pleasure to friends and dear ones.

But do not lose sight of the value of having a Savings Account in which you can continue to build dollars upon dollars for the year ahead. Other Christmases will come.

And,—buy of Our Home Merchants.

Nodaway Valley Bank  
Maryville, Missouri

"Santa Claus  
Banks Here"



## Closing Out Sale

We will sell at public auction at the John Finnell farm, 4½ miles southeast of Burlington Junction and 3 miles northeast of Quitman, beginning at 10 o'clock, on

Thursday, December 16

The following property:

18 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Span mare mules 4 and 5 years old, wt. 2,050; span horse mules 4 and 5 years old, wt. 2,100; span horse mules 5 years old, wt. 1,700; sorrel mule 8 years old, wt. 1,150; bay mule 10 years old, wt. 1,200; bay mare 6 years old, wt. 1,200; black mare 6 years old, wt. 950; span extra good bay driving horses, well matched, 7 and 8 years old, wt. 2,400; bay horse 5 years old, wt. 1,150, good cattle horse; sorrel horse 10 years old, wt. 1,000; good cattle pony; sorrel mare 10 years old, wt. 1,100; 2-year-old mule, good family bay driving horse, wt. 1,150.

40 HEAD OF CATTLE—15 cows, 20 spring calves, two 2-year-old steers, two 2-year-old heifers, one black Poll bull.

200 HEAD OF HOGS—45 brood sows, 2 Poland-China male hogs, and remainder are stock hogs that will average about 150 lbs. These hogs are cholera immune, having had the double vaccination treatment.

10 Angora goats, 2,500 bushels corn, 30 tons of hay in barn.

IMPLEMENTS—2 farm wagons, 1 low wheel wagon, Deere corn planter, drill, 1 hay rake, 2 mowers, 1 gang plow, 1 sulky plow, 2 lists, 2 Badger plows; 2 Avery plows, 2 New Departure plows; 1 binder, Dempster 1½ h. p. gasoline engine and pump jack, 1 3-leaf harrow, 1 2-leaf harrow, 1 hack, 2 sets Concord harness and numerous articles.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months credit, bankable note, 8 per cent interest. No property removed until terms are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.  
C. I. Hann, Clerk.  
W. W. Jones, Lusher.

Finnell Bros.





### W. B. PATTON AT EMPIRE

Comedian, Well Known Here, Will Give "Good Samaritan" Tonight.

W. B. Patton's new play, "The Good Samaritan," is considered by dramatic critics to be the best vehicle in which this popular star has ever appeared. From the title, one would imagine the play was of a biblical theme, and although it is of a more serious nature than any of Mr. Patton's former successes, it is far from being a moral lecture, etc., for it is filled with that droll comedy which exactly fits the peculiar comedian's particular style of acting.

It is a beautiful story of the present day and contains many situations that hold the audience breathless until the

climaxes are reached. Clean comedy predominates throughout the action of the play, although there are many opportunities for those who are apt to allow their tears to flow at the provocation of pathos.

Mr. Patton has appeared here during the past ten years in his other productions and has established a following among the more conservative patrons of the theater. On each succeeding visit he gains new admirers who enjoy worthwhile plays.

"The Good Samaritan" has been given a very elaborate production, its scenic equipment equals and surpasses the majority of the much heralded stellar attractions now traveling in this part of the country. Mr. Patton and his excellent company will give one performance in Empire theater Friday night.

### Obituary—Elizabeth Harris.

Elizabeth, daughter of William A. and Sarah Brown, was born in Louisville, Ky., June 14, 1825, and died December 5, 1915, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Barnes, in Kansas City, Mo., aged 90 years, 5 months and 21 days.

She came with her parents to Missouri in 1854, and in 1856 was united in marriage to Reuben Hickman Harris, son of Woten and Sarah Harris, near Quitman, Mo., at which place they lived the remainder of their lives, with the exception of two years they resided in Illinois. In March, 1912, the husband was stricken with paralysis, and in September they were brought to Mound City to the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Watkins, where they were ministered to and given the best of care. Mr. Harris departed this life the following January, 1913. Mrs. Harris is survived by two daughters, Martha J. Watkins, Mound City, and Malinda B. Barnes, Kansas City. Four daughters and one son preceded them to the better world, and eighteen grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren are living. One brother, James C. Brown, lives in Fortescue, Mo., and one sister, Mary J. McCarty, in Quitman. She united with the M. E. church in 1892 and has ever since been a faithful member. At the time of her death she was visiting at the home of her daughter in Kansas City. She was laid to rest in the Quitman cemetery, services being conducted at Quitman, December 7, 1915.

Mrs. Ben Green left this morning for St. Joseph, where she will visit Mrs. Ellis Matherly.

### Candies

For your Christmas, any quantity you want. Get my prices.

D. E. Hotchkin  
111 West Third Street.

### USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

When Bilious, Headachy, Sick for Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Bad Colds.

Get a 10-cent box. Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

### ADJUSTABLE FRONT SEAT

FINE FOR BOTH LONG AND SHORT MAN.

Makes Change From Rear to Front Seat While Inside Car Possible—Latest Improvement.

The inconvenience of the driver has to a great extent been eliminated by the installation of adjustable individual front seats, states A. G. Seiberling, General Manager of The Haynes Automobile Company, Kokomo, Indiana.

The great problem of the automobile manufacturer has been until recently, the arrangement of the front seats, so that convenience and comfort should be accorded the driver, who in most cases is not considered. This has been solved to a great extent by the installation of the adjustable individual front seats. Now the man whose anatomical construction is a trifle oversize can enjoy driving as well as the thin or average sized man, by simply adjusting a little bolt and sliding the seat back, giving plenty of body room and incidentally more comfort.

Changing of seats between the passengers in the rear seat with the front seat passenger is made possible by this division between seats without the bother and inconvenience of leaving the car.

The front seat passenger is also accorded more comfort, being removed from the interference of gear shifting. In this way the driver has easier access to the gear-shift.

In the working of the one-man top this opening becomes a convenience in putting up the top, making it unnecessary to climb over the seats.

Added space is also gained, making it possible to carry a suit-case or other luggage in the opening between the seats.

### CLEARMONT BLAMES MARYVILLE.

Says Booze Which Caused Trouble Sunday Came From County Seat.

After telling of the drunken row at Clearmont Sunday, and expressing the shame of the citizens concerning it, the Clearmont News adds the following:

This disgraceful affair, as we understand it, can principally be laid on to Maryville, as we are informed that the liquor that caused the trouble was brought from that city Saturday night by some of the parties engaged in the row.

We hope that this will have some influence with the better people of our county seat when the time comes, which is not far off, to vote on the question of doing away with saloons in that city, and that they will cease to be the only place in the county where the nefarious business is carried on, thus being a nuisance to every community, not only in this but adjoining counties.

### PLAYING THE "LONE GAME."

Edison Ninth Annual Film Against White Plague.

Football, Red Cross Seals and Tuberculosis are cleverly blended into a strong romance in "The Lone Game," a motion picture produced by Thomas A. Edison for the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The picture will be released on Saturday, December 11th, and will be used as an aid in the Red Cross Seal Campaign throughout the country.

"The Lone Game" is based upon a book by Thomas Crawford Galbreath, entitled "T. B. Playing the Lone Game Consumption."

This is the sixth annual Red Cross Seal picture produced by Edison in co-operation with the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Rear Democrat-Forum want ads.

### FUN IN M. U. NAMES

UNIVERSITY MISSOURIAN WEAVES THEM INTO STORY.

### ARTICLES REPRESENTED

Animals, Bible Characters, Colors, Musical Terms and Trades—Student Statistics.

Flint and Steel struck together make Sparks. No, this is not merely the statement of a well-known fact. It is one of the combinations of names that can be found in the new student directory, published last week. Another is: Locke the Gates of your House with a Key.

To enumerate other combinations equally odd would require reams of paper and a day's hard work. A resume of the directory reveals almost enough animals to start a zoological garden. There are two Leopards, seven Campbells, one Wolfe, three Lyons, two Foxes, one Moose, one Hart, one Coon, one Mare, one Lamb, three Bulls and Steer. In the aquarium we find four fishes, one Herring and a Bass. In the aviary are two Quaysles, two Cranes, two Crows and one Jay.

The theological side of life is well represented with a Church, a Chappell, a Bishop, a Nunn, a Pope, a Rector, a Proctor and Parsons. As relics of the age of chivalry are found five Kings, one Baron, two Earles, two Knights with their two Squires, a Page, a Palmer, a Harper and a Herald. The Bible also comes in for its share, with Daniel, Gideon, Israel, Jacob, Jesse, Jordan, Peter, Gabriel, Abram and Ruth.

### Plenty of Colors Here.

Only those who are color blind can fail to see the Browns, Blacks, Whites, Grays, Greens and Lavender in the directory. From the garden come the Rose, Daise and Lilley, while in the Field are found the Bean, Berry, Rice and Wheat.

The newspaper, of course, is on hand with a Weakley and a Daily. The automobile is represented by the Ford, Maxwell, Cole, Mitchell and Hudson. The musician gives us Music, Medley, Major, Minor, a Horn and a Fife. Four poets are there: Longfellow, Poe, Burns and Browning.

In a Peck Baskett can be found an Apple and a Lemon. There is also plenty of Pewel for a Greathouse, for there is a Carr of Peet and Wood. There are two Summers and one Winter. There is a Boll of Cotton from which a Weaver makes his Webb. Curry Combs are found, but no brushes to go with them. There is a Barr, over which only Coffey and Thee are served in a Stein. Here we find Sellers but no buyers.

At the present time many a Hollander would be glad to make a journey of many Miles to get out of Flanders into Canaday. Such a Mann is not only Keen but Sharp and Wise and displays Witt and Wisdom. Once safe on the Shore of the western continent, he could put into the Banks one Schilling, three Nichols, one Penny and some Pence, with no one to Dunn him.

### A Few Things Missing.

Two universities are represented in the directory, Cornell and Yale. There is a Bitter, but no sweet; an Old, but no young; a Long but no short; a Dry, but no wet; Love, but no hate; Lowe, but no high.

Military preparedness comes in, too, with Cannon and Ball, Pickett, Fort, Muster and Camp. Among the tradesmen are found the Baker, Fowler, Carpenter, Taylor, Miller, Smith, Farmer, Shepherd, Cowherd, Fisher, Warden, Gardiner, Porter, Brewer, Cook, Cooper, Turner, Glazier, Carter, Barber, Potter, Dyer and the Crook.

A perusal of names shows that there are thirty-one Smiths, twenty-three Davises, twenty Johnsons, eighteen Millers, sixteen Wilsons, fifteen Joneses and twelve Taylors.

Of the non-resident students there are: From Oklahoma, forty; Arkansas, twenty-seven; Illinois, twenty-five; Texas, twenty; New York, twelve; Kansas, nine. There are students from almost every state in the Union and from Australia, Panama, Canada, the Hawaiian Islands, Brazil, Japan and China.

Mrs. B. F. Hildreth left this morning for St. Joseph, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Charles Martin for a few days.

### CAFETERIA SUPPER

at the Christian Church

Saturday Evening

From 5 to 7:30

By Loyal Daughters

### Chiropractic

If you are hunting health, you will be satisfied with the game, if you try Chiropractic adjustments, W. J. LININGER, D. C., 409½ North Main St. Haa. phone 3260.

## Winners in the Contest for Phoenix Silk Hose

Edna Wilson, 721 South Buchanan Street  
Hattie A. Noble, 810 East Third Street  
Gertrude Lahr, 302 South Vine Street

Each of the above guessed the exact number, 84 pairs and have received six pairs each free.

# Haines

THE STORE THAT IS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE YOU

## NOT EVEN SPLINTER

WILSON TELLS DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE ABOUT REPUBLICANS.

## TARIFF THE ONLY ISSUE

G. O. P. Hasn't Chance to Win With No Platform to Stand On, Says President.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 9.—President Wilson told members of the Democratic national committee, at a luncheon in the state dining room of the White House yesterday that the Republicans had no issue for the next campaign except the tariff, and that Democracy was certain to win.

"Our constructive work has started an irresistible movement which cannot be stopped," he declared. "Any one who tells you otherwise is talking through his hat."

Wilson said nothing to indicate whether he would again be a candidate for the presidency.

### Wilson Gets Confidential.

Throughout his entire talk, which dealt with subjects ranging from Democratic chances of victory to features of the "isolated" life of a chief executive, the president was informal. Taking his place at the head of the table, he thrust his hands into his trousers pockets, cast aside what he termed his "dress parade" language, and talked freely and confidentially.

Democrats of all factions greeted his remarks enthusiastically. They left the White House in buoyant spirits, declaring that his optimism had inspired them with new confidence. It was the first time, committeemen said, that their body had been received as a whole in the White House. They expressed regret that the text of the president's speech would not be given out, as they regarded it as a vigorous campaign argument.

### See No Real Opposition.

At the outset the president said he wanted the members to feel they were a part of a big family of which he was a member. He asked whether any one present could suggest any campaign argument other than the tariff which the Democratic opposition could advance and the committeemen all shook their heads. Nobody knew at this time, he added, what sort of a tariff measure must be framed to meet changing conditions resulting from the war.

Discussing parties and policies generally, the president insisted that the Democratic view was that the majority should rule, while that of their opponents was that a "board of trustees" should act for the people.

### Mexicans to Get Tired.

Touching upon the Mexican problem he said this same majority rule should apply in Mexico as well as this country, without regard to the wishes of persons residing in other countries who hold Mexican property. He expressed the belief that, in due time, peace would come in Mexico when the people were thoroughly tired of raising disturbances.

The president faced a united committee, leaders declared tonight, rumors of threatened breaks between friends of Fred B. Lynch, the Minnesota committeeman, and Chairman William F. McCombs having been promptly disposed of.

McCombs and most of the other committeemen left for their homes tonight.

The chairman will name the convention committee on arrangements this week and within a month it will hold its first meeting in St. Louis.

20 Years Experience in Truss Fitting. When we take your measure for a Truss it must fit and do the work or no pay. See us for your Truss.

PARLE'S PHARMACY

## Have Christmas Money Next Year

By joining our Christmas Savings Club. Get started now. Makes saving easy.

The Farmers Trust Company

## Today

Is the 10th day of the month and the last day of Discount on your Electric Light Bills. Better hurry.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.  
Empire Theatre Building  
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## Days to Christmas

# Dec. 10

Remember the Jam in the Shops  
Just Before Christmas  
Last Year?  
Avoid It This Year by Shopping Early

## THE BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

### INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

### What Customers Like

WHAT is the thing that you like best in your dealings with people? First, you want the person you are dealing with to know his business thoroughly.

Then you want trained service, the kind that can anticipate your wants and comforts as well as care for the little details, which are so important in the banking business.

Our service takes into consideration everything that counts. Let us serve you.

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SAFETY COURTESY SERVICE



## Our Great December Sale Is Now On

An Excellent Opportunity to buy a Coat, Suit, Dress, Blankets, Underwear and many other seasonable articles at money saving prices.

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THE STORE THAT IS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE YOU

### B. J. Post Congratulates Us.

The city of Maryville has passed an ordinance prohibiting the throwing of papers or other refuse or waste on the streets. It's a good ordinance and one that every town should have. Burlington Junction's streets used to look worse than sin, but our citizens are taking more pride, apparently, and we're about as clean as any town now. For some reason, the fellow who goes up the street throwing papers right

and left impresses us as the same fellow who spits all over the floor at home.

Mayor J. A. Barr is wearing a badly bruised eye this week as a result of an encounter with a Ford car. The mayor was going to do the good Samaritan act for A. Hagey by cranking his car, but the crank slipped, and so did Mr. Barr, his eyebrow striking the car with enough force to cut the flesh painfully.

So when you see the discolored optic, dear citizen, don't judge too hastily. Our city official has had no trouble of that kind.—Burlington Junction Post.

Yesterday on the Linville hotel register were the names of A. W. Runice, Chicago, and W. C. Runice, Kansas City. Both of these men are traveling salesmen, came in on the same train and neither had ever seen or heard of the other.

THE STORE WITH THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

## Berney Harris

THE SUPERIOR SERVICE YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO EXPECT AT THIS STORE

THE GREATEST SATISFACTION IN GIFT BUYING IS REALIZED WHEN YOU HAVE SELECTED ARTICLES FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS THAT REALLY ARE APPRECIATED — PRACTICAL GIFTS — SOMETHING YOU WOULD BE GLAD TO RECEIVE YOURSELF — IN THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW YOU WILL FIND IN EVERY DEPARTMENT ARTICLES THAT CONVEY THE FULLEST DEGREE OF CHRISTMAS SENTIMENT, COMBINED WITH THE APPRECIATION OF PRACTICAL USEFULNESS

### GIVE FATHER, HUSBAND OR BROTHER — A "SINCERITY" OR "DRESSWELL" SUIT OR OVERCOAT

You will not find a more useful gift — A generous selection .....\$12.50 to \$25.00

### BIG, COSY, WARM SWEATERS

Coat style, in all weaves and colors. We feature the Bradley. Priced from 75c to \$8.50 Complete showing in either Men's or Boys.'

### BATH AND LOUNGING ROBES

A generous showing of either blanket or Terry cloth in all new colors and designs. Reasonably priced at .....\$3.75 to \$8.50

### SHIRTS

Representing the best offerings of the season at .....50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

### LEATHER GOODS

Traveling and Toilet Sets — Very attractive Gifts, put up in neat folders.....\$2.50 to \$5.00 Manicure Sets, Drinking Cups, Military Brushes and Collar Bags.

### NECKWEAR

The largest showing ever offered — bright, new sparkling array full of ginger and style — In gift boxes at.....25c and 50c

Or make your selection from open stock and have them put up in gift boxes individually or in combination with other articles you may select.

### TOQUES

For Men, Women and Children. All colors and weaves .....50c

### FOR THE BOYS AND CHILDREN

There is no gift that will convey the gift spirit more fully than a Suit or Overcoat — It's something more than a passing pleasure. Norfolk or Little Men's .....\$3.50 to \$8.50 Overcoats in all styles .....\$3.50 to \$10.00

### SELZ SHOES FOR DRESS OR WORK

Gun metal, tan, in all new and staple shapes. Button or Lace.....\$3.50 to \$4.50 Work Shoes.....\$2.50 to \$3.50

### MUNSING UNION SUITS

\$1.50 to \$3.75

### MUFFLERS AND SCARFS

In silk or wool.....50c to \$2.00

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Linen Initials in Longfellow style, put up three in a box at.....25c each Silk Initial in block style letters.....50c each Fine pure linen, hand hemstitched.....50c each Others in sanitary envelopes at 10c, three for 25c two for 25c and 25c straight.

### HOSIERY

Holeproof, Phoenix and Black Cat — Three of the most nationally demanded makes to be had.

Include a box of Men's Holeproof, guaranteed six months at.....\$1.50 Three pairs of silk guaranteed three months at .....\$2.00

Phoenix silk in Men's only, put up in individual gift boxes.....50c the pair Exclusive representatives for Men's, Women's and Children's Holeproof Hose.

### SUIT CASES AND BAGS

## THEIR GOLDEN DAY

MR. AND MRS. THEODORE PETER OF SKIDMORE CELEBRATE.

### HAD MARYVILLE GUESTS

Many Beautiful Gifts Given by Just Fifty Friends and Relatives at Gathering Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Peter, living near Skidmore, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Tuesday, and the following account is sent in by one of the guests:

December 7th being the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Theo. Peter and wife, Mrs. Peter had arranged to have their children present for a family reunion and was making preparations accordingly, at the same time a more elaborate preparation was being made by the children, neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Peter by springing a big surprise on them, and near the noon hour their place was taken by storm by a large number of neighbors, friends, relatives and children coming with well filled baskets of all the delicious eatables that heart could ask for.

Uncle Theo was spellbound with surprise. Aunt Lettie was overcome with joy.

Tables were soon spread and loaded with such tempting dishes of food as only those skilled in the art of culinary could prepare. It was certainly a joyous occasion. The dinner was being served from noon until about sundown. Significant of the 50th anniversary was the fact that just 50 persons were present, as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Farris, Mr. and Mrs. Al Deshon, niece and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Peter, also Ransom Wells of Clarksdale, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wells, Mrs. Robert Wells and daughter, Marie, of Maryville, Mo., Messrs. and Mesdames J. W. Linville, A. C. Barber, Ed Bosley, D. F. Mitchell, Will Strickler, Pearl Hays, Russ Peters and family, Lee Peters and family, Henry Wells, J. T. VanAusdall, Wm. Wells, Mrs. Eva Reaksecker, Misses Neva Reaksecker, Maude Noffsinger, Osa Bosley, Anna Bosley, Mr. Warren Reaksecker, also their sons, Eli, Claude and Rue Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter received many very valuable and appropriate gifts, such as a gold coin from each of their sons, also gold coin from Uncle Joseph Jackson of Maryville, gold brooch and gold set of shirt buttons by Ira Farris and wife, gold trimmed crystal berry set by Messrs. and Mesdames John, William, Henry, Edward and Mabel Wells, hand painted china creamer by Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hays and Maude Noffsinger, gold dessert spoon by Mr. and Mrs. A. Barber, and many others.

The rooms and tables were beautifully decorated by two most charming bouquets of chrysanthemums presented by Mrs. Robert Wells and Mr. J. T. Wells.

The day was ideal, the occasion golden and the assembly was composed of dear relatives and appreciative friends.

### 3 WOMEN GOOD GUESSERS

So Each Received the Six Pairs of Silk Hose Advertised by Haines Store.

The Phoenix silk hose guessing contest at the Haines store closed last night and three women of Maryville received six pairs of Phoenix silk hose today.

Mr. Haines advertised that six pairs would be given the woman guessing the correct number of hose on display in the north window. There were 712 that registered from Saturday morning 'till last evening at 6 o'clock, and three guessed the number 84, and about thirty ladies missed it only one.

Those who received the six pairs of hose were: Edna Wilson, 721 South Buchanan street, Hattie Noble, 810 East Third street, and Gertrude Lahr, 302 South Vine street.

### You Can Enjoy Life

Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a

**Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet**

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

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Best work only

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## SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

BY MISS EMILY COATS

Hanano phone 42, Farmers phone 114

### Wales-Robinet.

Miss Fanny Wales and Roy Robinet of Guilford were united in marriage Wednesday evening in Savannah.

### To Be Married Sunday.

Marve Curnutt left this afternoon for Springfield, Mo., where he will be married Sunday night to Miss Helen Wray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wray.

### King's Heralds to Meet.

The King's Herald band of the First Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Miss Matie Price, at her home, on West Sixth street.

### Dinner Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Osborn had as their guests at dinner last evening Dr. W. C. Bagley of the Illinois university and the former's mother, Mrs. Virginia Osborn, of Richmond, Mo., who will spend the winter here.

### Club Met With Mrs. Appleby.

The Bloomdale Willing Workers club met at the home of Mrs. Dell Appleby Saturday afternoon, December 4. After a short business session a pleasant social hour followed, during which time the ladies busied themselves with various kinds of fancy work. Refreshments were served by the hostess and her daughter, Melba. The club adjourned to meet December 18 with Mrs. Robert Aley.

### Harvey Haines

Host at Dinner Last Evening.

Mr. Harvey Haines entertained last evening with a three-course dinner at his apartments. Those present were Misses Gladys Ford, Ella Noel, Bertha Schmauder, Stella McDowell, Anna Stapler, Elizabeth Heffern, Irene Redfield, Kate Vaughn, Clara Sherlock, and Messrs. Walter Todd and Lawrence Schumacher.

The dinner was served by Aaron Williams and Charles Wilson.

### Dinner Yesterday

Country Club at Knabb Home.

Mrs. J. J. Knabb entertained the Country club with a 12 o'clock dinner at her country home, near Maryville, yesterday, in honor of her sister, Mrs. S. H. Huff of Hobson, Mont.

Covers were laid for Mesdames F. Hall, Arch Willhoite, T. M. Trullinger, J. C. White, Mary J. Willhoite, William Job, Sr., O. L. Shell, William Job, Jr., O. J. Willhoite, Misses Bessie Walker, Neva Walker, Roberta Willhoite, Margaret Marie Wells, Vivian Hall, Maude and Thelma Huff, and Forrest Wells, Harold and Kenneth Huff, Mrs. Huff and the hostess.

### Palestine Aid

Met Thursday With Mrs. Lyle.

The Ladies' Aid of the Palestine church met Thursday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Frank Lyle, where they spent the afternoon piecing quilts and tacking comforts. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Bessie Lyle.

The members present were Mesdames Henry Anderson, Peter Brown, Gaylord Dilts, Wilson Ellsworth, Will Mountjoy, Clarence Charles, John Neal, Dick McDowell, Will Gex, Theodore Snowbarger, Miss Lizzie Russnogle. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Acklen, Mrs. Edward Goodpasture, Mrs. Edward Robinson and Miss Bessie Lyle.

### Union Society

Last Night at Christian Church.

The Union of Young People's societies gave a most enjoyable get-together social in the parlors of the First Christian church last night. In the vestibule each guest received a slip of paper with their name on it. At the reception room door a paper bag was tied on the right hand with the instructions to shake hands until the sack was worn out.

Under the leadership of Miss Mary Lewis there was something doing all the time and the evening was quickly and pleasantly spent in games. Refreshments were served by Misses Bessie and Hazel Porter, Bertha Anderson, Nina Evans, Mrs. Ed Gray and Mrs. Burnett.

A vote of thanks was adopted and sent Martin Lewis, Jr., who had given

## Treat Children's Colds Externally

Don't dose delicate little stomachs with harmful internal medicines. Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve, applied externally, relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. Vick's can be used freely with perfect safety on the youngest member of the family. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

**VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE**

Koch Pharmacy, Orean-Henry Drug Company.

**Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.**  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

## Exceptional Furs

The Ladies of Maryville and vicinity now have an opportunity of inspecting the finest display of furs that was ever shown in this vicinity. Mr. J. J. Bennett, special representative of large Eastern Manufacturers, arrived this morning with an exceptional showing of fur sets and fur pieces in natural Cross Fox, Red Fox, Battleship Gray, Genuine Fisher, Fitch, Black Martin, Hudson Seal, Mink, etc.; and a full line of fur coats in Hudson Seal, Pony, etc., both trimmed and plain. Any selections made will be delivered from the trunks. The same broad guarantee as to value and satisfaction that goes with every sale made by this store.

Come and look this line over whether interested in buying or not.

(See Window Display)

so much time to make the social a success, and was confined to his home by illness.

There were about one hundred and fifty present.

### Surprise at Harmony.

Coffelt Home Wednesday Night.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. S. A. Coffelt of Harmony gave her a very pleasant surprise party Wednesday night. Music and games were the diversions of the evening, after which a luncheon was served. The guests were: Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hunt and daughter, Lois, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ridlon, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hefflin, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kessler, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Coffelt, Misses Mary Kessler, Mildred Trullinger, Maxine Edwards, Winifred Edwards, Sopha Edwards, Charlotte Green, Caroline Edwards, Ruth Ridlon, Mary Marshall, Marie Lewis, Lola Woodburn, Pearl Lewis, Blanche Bloomfield, Messrs. Ralph Kessler, Floren Porter, Harry David, Vilas Porter and Earl Porter, Carl Kessler, George Lewis, Markie Hefflin, Ralph Lewis, Paul Kessler, Elmer Woodburn, Glen Woodburn, Jack Eisman, Nowt Moore, Virgil and Wayne Kessler, Roy Moore, Harold Ridlon and Oral Porter.

### Married by Rev. Cox.

Mrs. Jessie Ewing and James Roien Branger of this city were married last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Cox by Rev. Cox. R. S. Branger of this city, an uncle of the groom, attended the wedding. After the ceremony, they left on a honeymoon trip to Kansas City and Waterloo, Ia., and at the latter place they will visit Mr. Branger's brother, Charles Branger. They will return to Maryville in about two weeks and will make their home here.

### Dinner at Bellows Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows entertained at a six o'clock dinner last evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Bellows' mother, Mrs. J. R. Brink. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, and daughter Margaret Louisa, Mrs. George P. Bellows and Mrs. M. J. Honnold and the hosts.

### Meeting Postponed.

The young ladies' Missionary society of the First Methodist church was to meet tomorrow afternoon has been postponed until next Saturday afternoon, December 18.

### Arts and Crafts Tomorrow.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. M. Chandler.

## Holiday Times are Approaching Rapidly

It is a good idea to buy your gifts early. We make this suggestion, because this month is a busy month for you and you will no doubt appreciate the suggestion of looking at our beautiful and artistic stock of

**DIAMONDS**  
**DIAMOND PENDANTS**  
**BRACELET WATCHES**  
**BROOCHES, RINGS**  
**CUT GLASS, ETC.**

while you have the time and we have the stock.

Just come in for a few minutes—you won't feel that it is time wasted. Anything in our beautiful stock that appeals to you will be put aside and you can get it any time before Christmas.

**Crane, The Jeweler**

# Berney Harris



# WHY DINING CAR CHEFS PREFER KC BAKING POWDER

Those who have had cakes ruined by jarring the stove, slamming the oven door or a heavy footstep, may have wondered how the dining car chef can turn out such marvelous biscuits, hot breads and pastry when his oven is being incessantly jarred and jolted and shaken by the motion of the train.

To get pastry to raise and stay raised under these conditions, a baking powder must be used that continues to give off its leavening gas—that sustains the raise—until the dough is baked through.



Dining Car Chefs have found a baking powder exactly suited to their needs in K C and you will find it just as well suited to your requirements. K C is really a blend of two baking powders, one active as soon as moistened, the other requiring both moisture and heat to start the generation of leavening gas. No matter how moist and rich you make your cake, K C Baking Powder will sustain the raise until a crust is formed and all danger of falling is past.

K C Baking Powder is pure and healthful. It is guaranteed under all pure food laws, and is guaranteed to please you. And it is sold at a reasonable price—no baking powder should sell for more.

Try a can at our risk and be convinced.

## MUST GET TOGETHER

(Continued from page 1.)

Moore of Nashville, Tenn., was vigorously applauded today at the national conference of the commission on church and country life. Rev. Moore was one of several speakers who attacked the spirit of aloofness maintained by some churches, and who urged further federation of religious organizations. Henry Wallace, Des Moines agricultural editor and former member of Roosevelt's country life commission, in an address deplored the system of tenantry and urged longer leases for farms.

The conference will close tonight with an address by President Wilson. Business sessions of the executive committee of the federal council of churches will end then also.

Rev. Dr. Moore explained he did not advocate the breaking down of church denominations, but he said co-operation "is now absolutely essential to adequate religious life and service."

"Some denominations have an exalted opinion of their providential and

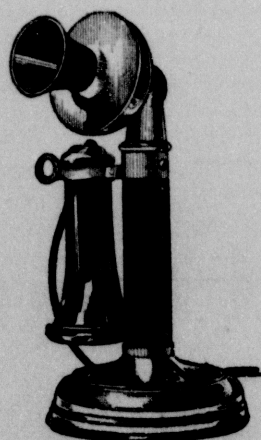
predestined importance and are not inclined to co-operation of any kind," he added. "They claim to be the Lord's peculiar people—and they are. Denominational conceit seldom lends itself to the promotion of other than self-interests."

"The time has come when denominational co-operation in both city and rural church life is practically essential to any great social and religious movement. The place to begin is not in the local community, however, but in the denominational councils of those organizations directly involved."

"No minister has a moral right to preach such a sermon or express his beliefs in such a way as to give offense to persons holding different doctrines. It is denominationalism that has divided Christian people into feeble bands and made the support of competent ministers impossible. Present conditions cry out against further postponement of a great co-operative effort by churches. I hope every country in the United States will have such church federations soon, and that the churches of each city will band together for their common cause." Rev.

## The Greatest Messenger

Let this true example of modern efficiency be a servant in your home during 1916.



Start With Christmas.

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## Closing Out Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at the Mason farm, 6 1/2 miles northeast of Maryville, on

**Friday, December 17**

The following property:

5 Head of Horses and Mules—1 pair mules, 7 years old; 1 team of draft horses 6 and 3 years old; 1 horse colt 2 years old.

2 GOOD MILCH COWS 2 CALVES.

Implements, etc.—Farm wagon, iron wheel wagon, binder, Peoria wheat drill, John Deere riding plow, 2 walking plows, Blackhawk planter, corn drill, hay rake, 2 cultivators, disc harrow, 2-section harrow, 3 sets work harness, single harness, buggy, Waterloo engine and circle saw, some household goods.

SOME CORN IN CRIB.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3 to 6 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

B. P. HOSMER, Auct.  
JOS. JACKSON, Clerk.

Mrs. Pauline Littler

Dr. Moore is secretary of home missions for the Methodist Episcopal church, South.

## ELEVEN REAL NEIGHBORS

PARNELL FOLKS LATH, FLOOR AND SHINGLE HOUSE.

Robert Riley Burned Out Nov. 6, and Friends Have Helped With Several Donations.

The folks over in that Parnell country are real neighbors. Robert Riley and family suffered a fire November 6, which completely destroyed their home and all their goods while they were away from home.

At that time several donations were made to tide the family over until they were able to get new goods. Last Wednesday a group of eleven men gathered at the Riley farm for a shingling, flooring and lathing of the new Riley house.

Dinner was served by Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Amos Riley, mother of Mr. Riley. The eleven who contributed the work were Roy Carey, Nelson Killam, John Surplus, Wallace Kennedy, A. Add, Charles A. Sheiman, Fay Carmichael, Alva J. Sparks, "Babe" Heslin, Clarence Gosner and Frank Haines.

## MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Dec. 10.—WHEAT—December, \$1.00; May, \$1.06 1/2.  
CORN—December, 63 1/2; May, 67c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 19,000. Market 10 to 20c lower; top, \$6.50; bulk, \$6.30 @ 6.55.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000. Market 10c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 57,000. Market 10 to 20c lower; top, \$6.80.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000. Market 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100. Market strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000. Top, \$6.55.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000. Market strong.

Redpath-Vawter President Here.

T. F. Graham, president of the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua system, was in Maryville today conferring with local members of the Chautauqua committee about next year's program.

J. H. McGinnis Stricken Again.

J. H. McGinnis, who has been confined to his bed at his home in Burlington Junction since the 11 of July with paralysis and heart trouble, suffered another stroke Tuesday forenoon and his condition is very serious. Mr. McGinnis has had a very hard siege, being unconscious much of the time since his first illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gex of Graham announce the birth of a girl yesterday.

UNDER THE SAME ROOF.

Live Five Generations of the Macomber Family at Atlas, Mich.

Atlas, Mich.—Living under the same roof here are representatives of five generations, ranging in age from ninety-three years to seven months. The roof is that of Mr. and Mrs. John Macomber, with whom live Mrs. Macomber's mother and her daughter, granddaughter and great-grandson. Mrs. Margaret McCandlish, though ninety-three, is in fairly good health.

During her youth in Scotland, where she was born, she lived near the estate of the Gladstones and frequently attended the same church where William E. Gladstone worshipped. She came to America in 1842, and two years later was married to John McCandlish, also a native of Scotland. They came to Michigan in 1847 and took up land near Atlas.

SCIENCE TO AID PRISONERS.

Philadelphia Will Treat Them as Sick Instead of Criminal.

Philadelphia.—Present methods for treating prisoners at the House of Correction are to give way to the most advanced practice. Science, as represented by a board of prominent physicians, will consider the men and women interned there in the light of sick people and not as criminals. Their ailments will be classified, and treatment calculated to make useful men and women of them will be put into effect.

After their discharge they will be recommended to various dispensaries for further treatment and will be watched by social workers. Four inspections a year will be made by the board.

## BEGGAR GETS \$2,000,000.

Blind Man of Webb City, Mo., Then Wishes His Sight Restored.

Webb City, Mo.—To buy back his eyesight, to own a humble home, which he now rents and to start a bank in Webb City are the three first ambitions of the Rev. Z. R. Cotton, a blind street beggar here, who was told that he had inherited more than \$2,000,000, of which \$650,000 is cash, through the recent death of his only brother, Powell Cotton, at Richmond, Ark.

After being told of the fortune the blind man continued throughout the day soliciting alms at the postoffice door, but will leave shortly for Richmond and will stop at Tulsa, Okla., to consult a doctor who has assured him that for a stated sum, formerly fabulous to Cotton, his eyesight can be restored perfectly. Cotton has been blind since a sickness twenty-two years ago. He is sixty-three years old.

## WHALE BATTLES WITH SHIP.

Monster Nearly Founders Whaling Vessel.

Seattle, Wash.—Showing the effects of a desperate battle with a huge sperm whale while ten miles south of Mount Edgecumbe, Kruxof Island, near the entrance of Sitka sound, the whaling steamer Star III, Captain L. P. Halls, Gunner G. Earling, reached Eagle Harbor after a successful season.

While taking one of the big mammals, which members of the crew described as "just like an ocean liner," the big fellow charged the steamer, damaging the gunwale, second towing chock on the starboard side and bending and crumpling a plate in the bulwarks for a distance of ten feet. The weight of the whale nearly swamped the little steamer.

## RESEARCH CENTER IS URGED FOR ENGINEERS

Would Have Laboratories Like Those of Germany.

New York.—Research laboratories the equal of those of Germany are under consideration by Columbia university, according to the report of Dean Frederick A. Goetze of the Graduate Engineering school.

After outlining the successful research work accomplished by Dr. Walter Rittman and Professors Armstrong and Pupin in the field of wireless telephony and telegraphy Dean Goetze's report says:

"There is no doubt that much could and should be done to extend our engineering research and to make it of even greater value to the university and to the industries of our country."

"Many of us are firmly convinced that this can best be accomplished by establishing on a site of ample area easily accessible to the university, but among neighbors who will not be too particular as to the smells and noises which we will create, laboratories adequately equipped for all branches of industrial engineering research and administered by the heads of our engineering departments, to which manufacturers and practicing engineers could turn for the solution of problems which are beyond the scope of their equipment or the capabilities of their force."

"In my mind these laboratories should be patterned after those of the German Reichsanstalt, connected with the Technische Hochschule at Charlottenburg, and located in the outskirts of Berlin."

"If Columbia were to establish laboratories of this kind, equipped with every facility for experimentation and research, with the staff of our technical schools available for consultation and advice, manufacturers and individual experts would be glad to avail themselves of these facilities and to establish research fellowships for solving their industrial and engineering problems."

"The cost will depend largely upon the site, which should be close to tide-water and railroad facilities. We would need at least \$500,000 for a start and for extension and endowment later on from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000 will be needed."

## GIRLS GET BIRD CATCHER.

Wellesley Students Now to Dissect Sparrows Instead of Cats.

Boston.—Wellesley college, the home of beauty and culture, now has an official sparrow chaser. He is John H. Oakes, and he receives \$40 a month for catching birds for dissection.

Cats were used formerly at Wellesley for dissecting, but this was discontinued when one of the college janitors was haled into court on the charge of stealing a prize cat. President Ellen Fitz Pendleton was threatened with a summons by Chief of Police Hiram Brown, and cats thereafter were shunned.

Oakes has a number of traps which he places in the fields around Wellesley.

Rare Cactus Blossoms.

Chicago.—A night blooming cactus in the yard of M. G. Peterson at 1419 Emerson street, Evanston, which blooms once every six years, started to flower, was in full bloom in a few hours and then closed for another six years. The family almost missed seeing the plant in full bloom. They were at an amusement park and didn't get home until the blossom started to close. The flower is about ten inches in diameter.

## DONS OF OXFORD WORK AS NAVVIES

Hasten Munitions to the Front on Battle Line.

## DEBUTANTES GIVE HELP.

Professors, Tutors and Dignified Masters of Colleges Hoe Spuds, While Some of the Society Women Sort Crops Into Grades—Proceeds of Sale Go to Hospitals.

Oxford, England.—Prominent in Oxford's war work is Sir William Osler, the professor of medicine. He is in charge of the Red Cross hospitals established in the Examination Schools building.

One of the internes and a valuable assistant of Sir William's is Dr. W. C. Davidson, a Rhodes scholar from New York city, who went to Serbia on Red Cross work for six months last year. He is now working on the open air sleeping quarters for wounded in College gardens.

Professor Gilbert Murray, Professor W. J. Sollas, Professor F. Y. Edgeworth and Professor R. R. Marrait have engaged themselves at a nearby arsenal to take the places of the regular

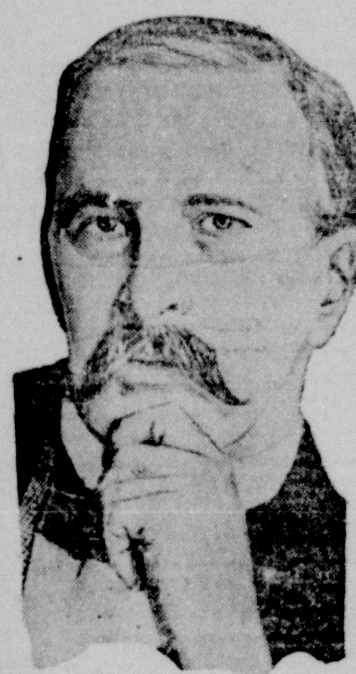


Photo by American Press Association.  
SIR WILLIAM OSLER.

lar ordnance men and load trucks and shift shells for three ten hour days a week.

There are fifty professors and 275 others, too old or otherwise unfit for military service, who form this volunteer organization, called, after one of its founders, Godley's army.

"Gilbert Murray is a private in the ranks, and it's great to see him," said one of his fellow dons. "He was paired off with a corporation road mender, and a rough one, too, to shift 176 pound cases of soap to trucks for Calais and the front. By the end of the day the pair got quite chummy, and when after each trip to the truck with a case of soap the road mender would say, 'Steady on, mate, and easy does it,' nothing daunted, the famous translator of Euripides replied, 'Easy it is, mate.'"

The don went on to tell me that the professors, lawyers' clerks and others of sedentary habits had got over their first handicap of tender hands and aching backs, and they now do four times as much as an equal number of regulars in one of their ten hour days. "Oh, they jolly well keep steaming all the time," he said. "Of course, they wouldn't be able to keep it up every day, but they are enthusiastic because they are volunteers."

Professors from high Tory Oxford are playing the part of navvies to aid in the munition work of Liberal Lloyd George, but it is only one example of the many at Oxford, where war is making manual laborers of all classes.

Another is that of the wealthy lady who lent a piece of ground as a novel way of giving work to the unemployed and at the same time furnishing a crop of potatoes. The unemployed who were at the same time unfitted by age or physical health for military service got busy and planted potatoes. But by the time the crop was ripe permanent jobs left vacant by war had fallen to their lot, and the lady found herself with a crop of potatoes in the ground, but no unemployed to get them out.

She called for volunteers from her friends at the university, and the result was that professors, tutors and dignified masters of colleges left their libraries and went out to hoe spuds, while some of the debutantes busied themselves with sorting the crop into grades.

The crop was advertised for sale. Many of the dons who had dug the potatoes took a personal interest in their ultimate destination, so that the lady cleared more than \$100 for the military hospitals.

Patient Weighs 500 Pounds.

Tulsa, Okla.—Miss Ada Boyd of Wyandotte is so large that a day was required to convey her from a railway station to a hospital to undergo an operation. Miss Boyd weighs 500 pounds. She is the largest patient ever registered at the institution.

## HOBBO FRAT DISBANDS.

Injury to "Bumming" Freshman Decides Missouri Students.

Columbia, Mo.—Announcing that they believed it best for the interests of the university, the members of the Quo Vadis club, the hobo fraternity at the University of Missouri, figuratively hopped off the blind baggage and decided that hereafter they would "ride the cushions."

The members voted to disband following the injury recently to a freshman who was "bumming" into Moberly. The discipline committee of the university issued a statement exonerating the club and saying the student injured had no connection with the organization.

The Quo Vadis club was founded in 1907 on the principle of "a thousand miles without a red." It numbered in its membership many of the leading students, including several athletes. Jack London, Homer Croy and J. Eads How were honorary members.

## ONE BOY, ONE SCHOOL.

And One Teacher For One Loneliest Pupil at Chillicothe, Mo.

Chillicothe, Mo.—Livingstone county has the smallest possible school in the world—it has just one pupil. But despite the small enrollment it keeps grinding steadily away, confining its activities principally to the textbooks and eschewing football and other forms of athletics.

The school in question is in District No. 2 in Medicine township, and Miss Mary Phillips is the teacher. The list of matriculants has not been published. When the term began five weeks ago it was anticipated that a number of children would enroll, but only this one boy came, so the teacher started in with the course.

## EASTERN SYCAMORE LARGEST SHADE TREE

Worthington (Ind.) Prize Winner Is 150 Feet Tall.

Washington.—"That the largest shade tree in the United States, as brought to light by the prize contest held by the American Genetic association, should turn out to be the eastern sycamore is not surprising," according to a statement issued by the forest service.

"The sycamore has long been regarded as the largest deciduous tree in North America, and its range of growth is hardly second to that of any other broad leaved tree, for it can be found from Maine to Florida and as far west as Kansas," says the report.

The prize winner was a sycamore at Worthington, Ind., which is 42 feet 3 inches in circumference and 150 feet tall. Foresters are recommending the sycamore for city planting because it is peculiarly able to withstand the smoke, dust and gases incident to urban life.

It is as resistant to insects as almost any other species and is a quick grower. At ten years a healthy sycamore usually is large enough for shade as well as for decorative purposes. There is hardly any eastern species so picturesque. With its mottled bark and its stature and conformation the sycamore has a marked individuality and cannot be mistaken for any other species either in the summer, when the foliage conceals its structural form, or in the winter, when the leaves are absent.

A common objection to the sycamore as a lawn tree is its habit of dropping its leaves before the autumn. From this characteristic it is sometimes called a "dirty tree."

The chestnut and the black walnut are the largest nut bearing trees in this country. The contest disclosed a chestnut tree near Crestmont, N. C., which is thirty-three feet four inches in circumference and about seventy-five feet tall.

The contest brought forth photographs and authentic descriptions of 337 trees in all parts of the United States, making a distinctly valuable contribution to existing knowledge of native trees. It was found that in all probability there is no living elm larger than "the great elm" at Westfield, Conn., which is twenty-eight feet in circumference and about 100 feet tall and is estimated to be 250 years old.

Many remarkable specimens of species which ordinarily attain only small sizes were unearthed by the contest, furnishing new records of maximum growth. A sassafras was brought to light at Horsham, Pa., which is fifteen feet ten inches in circumference at four feet from the ground. Not long before this a Georgia tawny claimed that it had the largest sassafras tree in the world, though this tree was only something over seven feet in circumference.

A white birch was found in Massachusetts with a girth of twelve feet two inches. A pecan was found in Louisiana with a circumference of nineteen feet six inches, and a catalpa in Arkansas with a girth of sixteen feet.

Accident Reveals Hoard.

Sunbury, Pa.—Missing his horse, Alen Moore, an Augusta farmer, found that it had fallen into an abandoned well. A block and tackle operated by twenty men hauled the animal out and also an old rusty bucket with a sealed top, which had caught in one of the horse's shoes. When Moore cut the top of the bucket, out rolled a stream of silver coins of Spanish mintage of a face value of about \$3,000.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

## Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

LOST—Small gold class pin, M. H. S. 1913. Return to this office. 9-11\*

WANTED—Young woman desires housework. Inquire this office. 8-10

LOST—Signet high school ring, with engraving "16—H. M. S." Return to Mattie Marie Clayton. 8-10

CAR LOAD GOOD COAL here, \$3.50 ton at car. Delivered in city at \$4.00. Come and see it. Yowell & Sons. 7-8-9

STRAYED—Bay driving horse strayed from Star barn Tuesday night. Return to Dale Bellows at Parkdale farm. 8-10

LOST—White Collie dog with fawn colored face and ears. Reward offered. H. P. Powell, Hanamo phone 15P. 9-11

## For Sale.

FOR SALE OR RENT—New empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-1f

FOR SALE—139-acre improved farm, 6 1/2 miles from Maryville. Phone 414 Bedison. 7-12\*

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-1f

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 27-1f

FOR SALE OR RENT—120 acres, 3 1/2 miles good R. R. town, school house and church close. Liberal terms given buyer. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 1-1f

FOR SALE—Good upland prairie hay, per ton, \$8.00 in stack, \$10.00 delivered. Sawyers & Neff, Farmers phone 8-13. 8-1f

FOR SALE—First class, improved model soprano saxophone in case, Bantam. Inquire Lester Bennett, Montgomery Shoe Co. 9-11

FOR SALE—Fine residence property in West Maryville. Two lots, good well, 8-room house and outbuildings; all in good condition. Plenty of fruit. For particulars write H. S. Schoonover, administrator, route 5, Maryville, or inquire at Real Estate Bank. 8-31\*

FOR SALE—White Indian Runner ducks, Carlisle strain, white egggers, 75c each. Farmers phone 11-17

FOR SALE—Shorthorn cattle, either sex. Gus King, Clyde, Mo. 3-9\*

FOR SALE—If taken at once, all my household goods will be offered at private sale. Phone Hanamo No. 30. J. D. Frank, 611 North Market street. 10-13

BOX BALL ALLEY for sale cheap. In first class condition. You can put this in some of these small towns and make \$100 per month clear off of it. Yeo Brothers, Maryville, Mo. 10-13

## Oxley for Sheriff.

The Good Hope correspondent of the Hopkins Journal says: We hear the name of Willis Oxley mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for sheriff "when the time comes."

If Your Hair is Falling Out we know of no better remedy than

**Rexall "93" Hair Tonic**

A preparation which we gladly recommend to you. 50c a bottle. Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Mrs. W. Ray and daughter, Miss Ethel, left this morning for Atchison, Kan., where they will be the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hopp.

Fancy lump coal, \$3.25 per ton at car. Glover & Alexander. 10-1f

## Preparedness

Is the question of today. I am prepared to give my customers the best in Painting and Paper Hanging. M. L. GRABLE, HAN 3133 520 N. BUCHANAN



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## "REDLINE" ROUTE UNIQUE HIGHWAY

TOUCHES SMALL TOWNS INSTEAD  
OF THE CITIES.

## MARYVILLE TO NORTH IOWA LAKE DISTRICT

Markings Are Finished, Being Placed  
In Nodaway County by Committee  
of Commercial Club.

A new highway, the "Redline," from Maryville and northwest Missouri to the lake district of northern Iowa is now completely marked and opened up for travel. The markings which were made by the Maryville Commercial club's highway committee begin at Twelfth and Mulberry streets, one block north of the water tower, and go through Nodaway county.

The route is distinctive in several ways. It does not start at any large city and run to another. It is remarkably free from hills and bridges and the crossings are in fine shape wherever streams are encountered. It is also unusually direct to a region which is becoming more popular each year as a summer resort.

Another unique feature of the highway is that it touches the small towns and runs between the larger places which already have highways. The desire for good roads is spreading until the smaller communities are demanding them.

The "Redline" is principally the result of the work of T. A. Harris of Newmarket, Ia. He has been the chief backer of the highway whose marker is a red band with a white band on each side. It crosses other well known highways at several towns.

**Some Towns It Touches.**  
The route runs north from the Board corner, about half way between Hopkins and Clearmont, to Siam and on to Newmarket, Ia. From there it touches Villisca and on to Atlantic.

Although more direct routes lead to Omaha and to Sioux City, it provides a diversion for those who desire a different road in making the trip by motor either going or coming. Organizations have been formed along the route who are pledged to keep the roads in good shape.

So if Maryville should fail to get the Jefferson highway, we still have the Saints, and can lay claim to being the terminus of another route.

**In St. Joseph With Cattle.**  
W. C. Whitte, Clearmont; E. F. Caldwell, Burlington Junction; Sam Rodman, Quitman; Fred Wray, Joe Halker and Halmer & Arnes, Hopkins; Jos. Everhous, Pickering; W. H. Ramsey and J. O. Meeks, Arkoe; D. Henderson, Guilford; Horton & Dougan, Ravenwood; C. E. Bishop, Parnell; Sherman Calkins and Harry Young, Sheridan, were in St. Joseph with cattle yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Leet and Miss Lillian Carpenter are spending the day in St. Joseph.

Miss Eva Farrar has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Poland-China Record association, commencing work Wednesday.

**WORLD FILM CORPORATION PRESENTS  
LILLIAN TUCKER and EDWIN AUGUST  
IN EVIDENCE 5 ACTS  
RICHARD TRAVERS and RUTH STONE HOWELL  
in THE CONFLICT in two acts  
To-Night Fern Theatre 10 & 15c**

## Household Goods For Sale

Having decided to locate in Texas within the next month, I will offer at private sale, all of my household goods. If in need of any household goods see me at once, as they will be disposed of immediately. Phone Hanamo No. 30.

**J. D. FRANK,**

611 North Market Street.

Maryville, Mo.

## CHICAGO MAN AT SUPPER

Rev. C. R. Haudenschild Talks to First  
Methodist Brotherhood at Annual  
Game Meal.

A large crowd of men of the First Methodist Church Brotherhood and their women friends enjoyed a fine meal at the game supper of the church last night. After the routine business had been passed over, the pastor, Mr. Cox, spoke briefly on the relation of the men and women in the church.

The Rev. Charles R. Haudenschild of Chicago, who with his wife, is visiting Mrs. Haudenschild's mother, Mrs. J. V. Embree, spoke upon the relation of the pastor to his church and the relation of the church to the community.

## THEY'RE SHOPPING EARLY

MANY OUT-OF-TOWN BUYERS IN  
MARYVILLE THIS WEEK.

Ideal Weather, Attractive Offers and  
Good Roads Makes Thursday a Big,  
Busy Day for the Merchants.

Maryville stores are thronged this week with Christmas shoppers from every part of the county. The merchants have a line of high class Christmas gifts suggestions attractively displayed, with prices right, and the buyers are taking advantage of this by doing their shopping early. Only twelve more shopping days till Christmas.

C. J. Killian and son of Gaynor; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brett, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gray, Parnell; T. R. Crater, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gay, Ravenwood; R. W. Ambrose, Glen and W. S. Swinford, Bedison; Pleas Smith, Maitland; Joe Skidmore, Dave McKee, Guilford; Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pence and daughter, Clearmont; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens of Quitman, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cody of Cody, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmichael and Mrs. Tom Carmichael of Pickering.

Mrs. Truman Kellogg, Mrs. J. W. Miller and Mrs. Perry Messick of Bokow, Mrs. M. C. Beaton, Misses Eva and Emma Davis, Barnard.

## LIEUT. HOLT COMES TONIGHT

Waldo, Son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Holt,  
is On Month's Leave From Subma-  
rine H-2 at San Diego.

Lieutenant Waldo Holt of the H-2 submarine, stationed at San Diego, Cal., will arrive this evening on a visit to his father, L. R. Holt. He has an absence leave of a month.

Mr. Holt was here just a year ago and went to the coast, where he has been on the Pacific the past year. He graduated from Annapolis in 1912.

## Moving to Texas.

W. B. Hanna and son, Elmer, will leave Monday for Rock Island, Texas, where they will make their future home. Mrs. Hanna and two children will leave in a week or ten days to join Mr. Hanna and son.

## To Omaha.

Mrs. M. E. Farrar will leave in the morning for Omaha, where she will attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Perrin, and Mr. Perrin. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar will accompany her.

George A. Pickens returned today from a business trip to Kansas City and Emporia, Kan.

## MEN MEET TONIGHT

TEN APPOINTED FROM EACH  
CHURCHES FOR CENSUS.

## TO GO IN SQUADS OF TWO

Town Will Be Districted to Get In-  
formation About Religious  
Affiliations.

The ten men appointed by each pastor from the five Protestant churches to make a religious census of the city of Maryville will meet tonight at 7:30 at the First Methodist church. They will form into squads of two each and the city will be districted by wards and blocks.

Cards will be furnished the men upon which to gather the information. A card will suffice for each house, as it has blanks for father, mother, children and roomers. The ages of the young people will be sought, their church membership or preference, their Sunday school attendance, and whether their membership is in a Maryville church or elsewhere.

Those holding letters in their possession will also be listed. The cards provide a check for those not at home or those who refuse information. It also tells whether the occupants of each house are white or colored. The Rev. G. S. Cox, chairman of the Ministerial Alliance, will be at the head of the work.

The men who have been asked to work upon the committee from the Presbyterian church are: Howard Watson, W. H. Crawford, Roy Curfman, W. G. Sawyers, Ben Davis, C. E. Wells, O. L. Holmes, H. Barton, Wilfred Wakeman and Charles Wadley.

From the Buchanan Street Methodist church: M. A. Peery, Dan R. Baker, L. P. Colvin, James Muntz, R. C. Seals, John H. Porter, J. H. Thorp, Harold Seelman, A. T. Stinson and Ed Dale.

From the First Methodist church: Emmett Scott, L. B. Tracy, H. E. Wright, S. H. Kemp, Fred Curfman, George Moore, Walter Wray, Chester Bennett, George Herren, T. L. Wadley.

From the Christian church: Ellis G. Cook, A. L. Nash, Mayor U. S. Wright, Newton Hagins, Guy Henry, Henry Westfall, E. F. Hamlin, H. B. Schuler, J. H. Saylor, Harry Lyle.

The Baptist church will draw their ten names from the following list: Dr. K. R. Malotte, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, G. B. Holmes, Frank Reynolds, L. S. Yowell, Al Draxoo, Ira Morton, Martin Borrsch, William Everhart, Clyde Bliss, Ed McDonald, W. A. Harris, Ed Brewer, George Crowson, Clyde Adcock, Ernest Glover.

The men were selected by the pastors working with the presidents of the Men's clubs.

## Union Meeting Announced.

After the federated efforts of the day the churches will meet in a union service of reception for the Rev. C. Emerson Miller, the new pastor of the Christian church. This final announcement was made by the Rev. G. S. Cox, who will make the address of welcome to Mr. Miller, as the chairman of the Ministerial Alliance.

The sermon will be by the new pastor and the music arrangements are under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler and the choir of the Christian church.

## IMPRESSION LASTED 30 YRS.

When P. W. Snyder of Alaska Wanted  
to Buy Cattle He Returned to  
Nodaway County.

P. W. Snyder of Skagway, Alaska, was in Maryville yesterday and inspected the herd of Shorthorns of Bellows Bros., with a view of buying for his ranch in Oregon.

Mr. Snyder was a visitor here thirty years ago, when he attended the Nodaway county fair, and he saw such fine stock on exhibition that when he wanted to buy he thought he would come back here and inspect the herds.

Miss Agnes Sorenson of Woodbine, Ia., was here today en route to Hopkins, where she will be the guest of Miss Lottie Loudon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Houchins and daughter, Miss Blanche, and son, Wayne, were here today from Grant City, en route to Hopkins, where they will make their home on the McGuire farm.

## STAR THEATER TONIGHT,

Two-Part Drama

"A PILLAR OF FLAME,"

"IN THE AMAZON JUNGLE,"

And a Comedy.

5 AND 10 CENTS.

## HOPEWELL IN RUINS TODAY

Virginia Powder Town Has Property  
Loss of Two Million and 10,000  
Are Homeless.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Hopewell, Va., Dec. 10.—Hopewell, the boom town of 25,000, founded by the Du Pont Powder Company, is in ruins and desolation today while rescue parties search for bodies in the blackened embers.

There are ten thousand homeless people that have lost all. The property damage is estimated from one to two million dollars. A state investigation will probably be ordered immediately.

## GIRL'S CHARRED BODY FOUND.

No Identification Can Be Made, But  
Thought to Be Student.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
New Orleans, Dec. 10.—The charred body of a young girl was found in the yard of a Camp street residence yesterday.

Although there is no identification, it is believed to be that of a student of a fashionable girl's school nearby, who has been missing.

## MUST GET TOGETHER

NOT CHURCH UNION NECESSARILY,  
BUT CO-OPERATION.

## WAR FRUIT OF DIVISION

Common Problems Must Be Met With  
Federated Efforts, Say Conven-  
tion Speakers.

## Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbus, Dec. 10.—President Wilson arrived at 8:48 o'clock this morning and was greeted by large and enthusiastic crowds.

He retired to the hotel until time to make the address at the chamber of commerce luncheon at the Masonic temple. He will address the church federation later.

Columbus, O., Dec. 10.—Violent conflicts between capitalistic and labor classes in farming communities may develop over the country unless something is done soon to prevent the growing tendency toward the system of absentee landlord, Rev. Harry F. Ward of Boston, told the commission on church and country life in an address here last night.

Fred B. Smith, New York business man and originator of the men and religion movement, in an address tonight deplored the existence of so many church denominations working independently of each other. Meetings of the federal council of churches are being held simultaneously with those of the commission. President Wilson will speak tonight.

Mr. Smith, in his address, said: "The present war is a fruit of divided Christianity. There was Christian sentiment enough in the world, if there had been a method which could have brought its full impact to bear upon the contending nations, to have absolutely prevented this outbreak. If the old order is to be continued, the same thing will occur again, earlier or later. Not politicians, nor kings, but an united voice of the believers in the Gospel of Jesus Christ will some day fix the standards of world peace. This alone is sufficient to demand a united church."

"The aloof denominational attempt to extend Christianity to the non-Christian world has proved a flat ridiculous failure," said Mr. Smith. "The task of proper, forceful, continuous religious education is unsolved up to this date. We have been depending on a thirty-minute period per week in the Sunday school for a few children, a smattering in the home for a yet smaller company, the pulpit for another group, and an annual spell of hysterical revival for the least number, as means for teaching the truths of God. A united Christianity alone can meet the need. Fifty-seven different varieties will be repudiated soon. A world reduced to a neighborhood demands a common religion."

**Sectarian a Denominational Bully.**  
"The narrow, offensive church sectarian and denominational bully can no longer represent Christianity in this country, whatever their church affiliations. Growing co-operation among churches will at once rid all communities of such intolerant men."

This assertion by Rev. John M. McAllister, Dec. 10.—Henry Bookman, a negro, was electrocuted early this morning. He was the first victim of the electric chair in Oklahoma. E. H. Hardin, whose son Bookman killed, was a witness.

Mrs. O. C. Wallace and baby left today for Mound City, called by the serious illness of the former's aunt, Mrs. A. Hageman.

Mrs. Mary Hook left this morning for Kansas City, where she will visit Mrs. J. D. Miller.

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## \* THE WEATHER \*

Rain or snow tonight and colder;

Saturday snow and much colder;

fresh winds.

## PETIT JURY DRAWN

FOR JANUARY CIRCUIT COURT  
MONDAY, 17TH.

## WILL ADJOURN TONIGHT

Heller's Saloon License, Another  
Lowering of Assessment, Other  
Acts of County Court.

The county court selected the petit jury for the January term of circuit court, which will convene on Monday, January 17. The following were chosen:

Atchison—Ed Clutter.  
Grant—John Perkins and W. C. Parrish.  
Green—Dan Woods.  
Hopkins—James Sturgeon and T. S. Ingram.  
Hughes—H. D. Schull and Thomas Groves.  
Independence—William Killian and John A. Sparks.  
Jackson—W. B. Ferguson.  
Jefferson—P. Durbin and R. W. Graham.  
Lincoln—Miles Fast and O. S. Tudor.

Monroe—B. F. Bagley.  
Nodaway—Charles Walker.  
Polk—John Diss, M. C. Baublitts, Dan Donahue and Lon Hughes.  
Union—W. W. Porterfield.  
Washington—George Rimel.  
White Cloud—N. A. Lawrence.

The court will adjourn this evening. Before adjournment they will grant a saloon license to W. A. Heller.

The assessment of H. B. Meyer was lowered from \$3,000 to \$2,400 on his statement that he had been erroneously assessed.

Judges Blackford and Farnan will go to Clearmont tomorrow to look over a road that will be improved. Judge E. T. Bailey, the other member of the court, was not in attendance at the court meeting this week on account of sickness. He is much better today.

## GOOD S. S. CROWD EXPECTED

President Desires Large Attendance  
Because Standardizing Require-  
ments Are to Be Presented.

The indications are that a large delegation from the Sunday schools of Polk township will attend the meeting of the association at the Christian church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The president, G. B. Roseberry is very desirous of a general attendance because the program is built around the changes which are necessary in order to standardize all the schools of the township and Maryville, so that they may follow the requirements of the international Sunday school committee.

The program is as follows:  
Devotional, led by Rev. G. S. Cox.  
Address, "Polk Township Sunday School Association," by G. B. Roseberry, president.

"The Rural Church a Community Center," by C. E. Wells.

"Value of Organized Primary Department and Cradle Roll," by Miss N. Elizabeth Evans.

"Activities of a Teen Age Class," by Miss Fannie Hope.

"Value of Story Telling," by Miss Julia Denny.

"Value of a Home Department," by Mrs. Al Hefflin.

"Organized Adult Work," by Rev. R. C. Holliday.

"A Mission Department in Sunday School," by Mrs. O. C. Hanna.

A report of the State Sunday School convention, by Miss Eva M. Davis.

Temperance, by W. W. Glass.

Organization, by H. C. Bower.

**First Electrocuting in Oklahoma.**  
Special to The Democrat-Forum.

McAllister, Dec. 10.—Henry Bookman, a negro, was electrocuted early this morning. He was the first victim of the electric chair in Oklahoma. E. H. Hardin, whose son Bookman killed, was a witness.

Mrs. O. C. Wallace and baby left today for Mound City, called by the serious illness of the former's aunt, Mrs. A. Hageman.

Mrs. Mary Hook left this morning for Kansas City, where she will visit Mrs. J. D. Miller.

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## \* THE WEATHER \*

Rain or snow tonight and colder;

Saturday snow and much colder;

fresh winds.

## NOW IT IS A KANSAS BANK

Daily Robbery in Middle West is at Everest, Near Atchison, When Four Men Got \$1,500.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Atchison, Kan., Dec. 10.—The State bank at Everest near here robbed of \$1,500 by four robbers. The robbers escaped after one chased the marshal away with gun.

## LOCAL COACHES TO TARKIO

Meeting Called by J. C. Elder of College Will Hear Basket Ball Men on New Rules—Schedules Also.  
Coach Paul Becker and Principal George F. McGrew of the Maryville high school and Coaches Walter Hanson and George Palfreyman of the State Normal school will go to Tarkio tomorrow to attend a meeting of the athletic representatives from north-west Missouri.

The meeting has been called by J. C. Elder, athletic director of Tarkio college. It will be addressed by several referees and men high up in basketball, who will discuss the changes in the rules this year and their practical application.

Many schedules will be completed at the gathering also.

## SMITH SENSATIONAL

SENATOR DEMANDS ACTION BY U.  
S. AGAINST ENGLAND.

## EMBARGO ON FOOD STUFF

May Ask Recall of Austrian Consul-  
General—House in Session  
Twenty Minutes.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Washington, Dec. 10.—Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, in a sensational speech in the senate this afternoon, supported his resolution to have congress probe British interference with American shipping.

He declared that the United States must notify Great Britain that this government will omit no word or act to enforce its rights upon the high seas. The senator made it plain that he believed it is "up to" congress to seek the remedy if that nation refused to heed the warning.

Smith intimated that one of the best weapons available would be an embargo on the exportation of foodstuffs.

## May Ask Recall of Austrians.

It is understood on the authority of a high official that the cancellation of the credentials of Von Nuber, consul-general for the Austrian government, will be the answer of the United States to the demand of Austria-Hungary that the department of justice of this nation withdraw its charges that Von Nuber plotted to destroy munition plants.

Similar action is reported imminent in the case of at least three other Austrian consular representatives.

The house of representatives remained in session twenty minutes this morning and adjourned until Tuesday noon. The senate met at noon to receive the recess appointments of President Wilson.

## Was Former Barnard Pastor.

Rev. William Campbell Rogers, who died Monday night near Plattsburg, Mo., was formerly a pastor of the Christian church at Barnard. He was 88 years old and burial was at Camerons. His wife died eight years ago.

Mrs. M. J. Nicholas left this morning for Atchison, Kan., where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Battles.

## PEACE TALK STILL FLOATING ROUND

GERMAN SOCIALISTS ENDORSE  
CHANCELLOR'S POSITION.

## SWISS HEAR OF RIOT IN BERLIN STREETS

Meanwhile Allies' Troops Are Being  
Forced in Greece by Bulgarian  
Attacks.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Berlin, Dec. 10.—At a meeting of the Socialist Democratic party attended by a majority of the members, resolutions were adopted declaring Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's answer to question Schedemann satisfactory as shown that the government has no desire to annex territory.

## Terms of Peace from Pope.

Rome, Dec. 10.—Cardinal Hartman is rumored to be the bearer of the German peace terms for the Pope. He left Rome at midnight for Berlin. It is understood that the Cardinal will meet the Kaiser in Berlin.

## Hungary Wants Peace.

London, Dec. 10.—A Geneva dispatch says Hungary resolved to make peace without the consent of Germany and Austria.

## In Greece in 72 Hours.

London, Dec. 10.—Furious fighting by the French and Bulgarians is progressing very near the frontier of Greece. If the Bulgarians will be able to continue their advance battle may be shifted to Greek soil within seventy-two hours.

Bulgarian flanking movement at Tchernia river compelled the French to return east ward as well as southwards. Sofia claims the attempt to invade Bulgaria a complete failure.

## Austrian-Italian Naval Battle.

Athens, Dec. 10.—Austrian-Italian naval squadrons reported to have engaged in a naval battle on the Adriatic Thursday according to advices received by the diplomats here. No information as to the outcome have reached Athens. It is reported that the Austrians bombarding San Giovanni Di Medu in Northern Albania when Italian squadron gave battle.

## Italians Define Better.

Udine Dec. 10.—Italians before Gorizia strengthened their position by capturing Austrian defensive work on Calvary Heights, a west Isonzo fortress.

## Bulgarian Raids Into Greece.

Saloniki, Dec. 10.—Strong bands of Bulgarian irregulars penetrated Greek territory, it is officially stated in the Macedonia headquarters of the French staff. The invasion was made to cut railroad lines.

## Peace Riots in Berlin.

London, Dec. 10.—Switzerland dispatches report peace riots in Berlin and other cities. Zurich dispatches say Berlin rioters were charged by the police. Before they were dispersed windows, stores and cafes were smashed.

## French Army in Greece.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Anglo-French army in Serbia retreated to Greek soil before the advance of the Teutonic allies, according to military information.

## Allies Urge Greek Action.

Athens, Dec. 10.—The allies are urging the Greek government to clear up the uncertainty of their present position, owing to the critical military situation. The representatives declare that it is essential that the entente have freedom for the moving of their troops.

## Our Special Saturday, Dec. 11

Home-made Candy

3 pounds - - - 25c

Bananas, 2 dozen 25c

NEW YORK CANDY KITCHEN



**THE OLD RELIABLE**

# ROYAL

**BAKING POWDER**

**Absolutely Pure**

**MADE FROM CREAM OF TARTAR**

### Like to Meet Maryville Debaters.

U. A. Anderson is considered one of the best debaters in this neighborhood. In fact, there are several good ones that we would like to pit against Hopkins talent at some open meeting of the Clyde council. Maryville is not barred, either, if she wishes to get in.

the men out here feeling that they can hold Wes Blagg or any other of the big guns level.—Good Hope Correspondent in Hopkins Journal.

Dr. Will Wallis left last night for Kansas City, where he will transact business.

## A Correction

A MISTAKE WAS MADE IN OUR ADVERTISEMENT LAST NIGHT IN QUOTING PRICES ON WOOL DRESS GOODS. CORRECT PRICES ARE AS FOLLOWS—

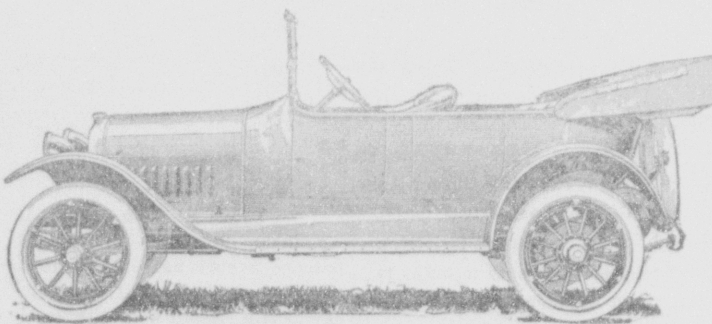
\$3.00 VALUES.....	\$1.50
\$2.50 VALUES.....	\$1.25
\$2.00 VALUES.....	\$1.55
\$1.50 VALUES.....	\$1.25
\$1.00 VALUES.....	.75c

OUR BIG DECEMBER CLEARANCE SALE IS NOW IN PROGRESS AND WILL CLOSE SATURDAY NIGHT, DEC. 18th. DON'T FAIL TO READ OUR ADVERTISEMENT IN LAST NIGHT'S PAPER.

YOU CAN SAVE BIG MONEY ON JUST THE MERCHANDISE YOU ARE NEEDING NOW.

**D. R. Eversole & Son**

## Model 22 VELIE



**TOURING CAR**  
f. o. b. **\$1065**  
factory

HAS VELIE CONTINENTAL SIX CYLINDER MOTOR, 40 horse power, roomy body of true boat streamline in rich Velie blue, with pure white fine line stripe. Multiple dry disc clutch. Automatic ignition system. Double bulb headlights. Hotchkiss drive. Spiral gears in floating rear axle. Velie Stewart vacuum feed with 15-gallon rear tank. One man top, instant curtains. 32x4 tires with non-skid on rear. This represents the most advanced requirements of silent, supple, six-cylinder power with low weight.

This new VELIE weighs less than 2500 pounds.

Long underslung rear springs supported at an extreme width. Deep tufted real leather upholstery over natural curled hair and perfect balance give a sense of restful luxury not found in other cars.

This is your first opportunity to secure a car of VELIE quality and workmanship at a low price. Investigate and compare. Demonstration at your convenience.

Firestone and Goodrich Tires

**J. H. Sewell**  
MARYVILLE, MO.

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### Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district, subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

### FANCY STEERS TO MARKET

Caldwells Send Prize Cattle to St. Joseph for Christmas Trade—E. F. at Chicago Meeting.

C. D. and E. F. Caldwell shipped a fancy load of Angus steers to the St. Joseph market yesterday. Edwin went with the shipment and will return this evening. The load was composed of fifteen fine Angus steers, which the Caldwells had fitted for the Panama exposition and the International.

In the herd is a steer that won seven premiums and was grand champion steer at the live stock show in St. Joseph in 1914. Fancy cattle for the Christmas trade are being sold in Chicago and St. Joseph today, and Caldwell were requested by the packers to market theirs at St. Joseph.

Edwin F. Caldwell spent last week in Chicago attending a number of meetings being held there by the United States department of agriculture with reference to the foot and mouth disease, which has caused such great loss in several of the corn belt states.—Burlington Junction Post.

### EVERETT KEMP AT JUNCTION.

B. J. H. S. Lecture Course Next Wednesday.

Everett Kemp, monologist and entertainer, will appear on the Burlington Junction public school lecture course, with one of his popular entertainments, next Wednesday night.

Mr. Kemp's reputation as an entertainer is well known, and our people may expect something unusually good when he is here. It is said to be impossible to have the blues while M. Kemp is around, so there must be a lot of good laughs in his entertainment.—Burlington Junction Post.

### Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

**Rexall Orderlies**

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

Orvar-Henry Drug Co.

### MONTGOMERY'S DEFEAT RAINES.

Henry Lifted High Score and Average to 163 and 144.

The high score and average goes on up every night of the bowling tournament at the Yeo alleys. Last night Guy Henry of the Basfords made 163 and 144 score and average. The scores were all better than formerly last night.

Montgomery Shoe Co. team won two out of three games from the Basford's Hand-Mades last night. H. L. Raines team plays the DeHart & Holmes team Tuesday night.

Montgomery Shoe Co. team—  
Becker ..... 119 153 135  
Saunders ..... 131 158 123  
Stapler ..... 113 137 131

Totals ..... 363 453 389  
BASFORD'S HAND-MADES—  
Wray ..... 122 101 116  
Henry ..... 144 163 127  
Yantis ..... 107 89 133

Totals ..... 373 353 376

### WAS A BIG SALE.

Sale of Wm. Workman and Pleas Griffey Amounted to \$11,000.

The closing out sale of Wm. Workman and Pleas Griffey was held yesterday and amounted to between \$10,000 and \$11,000. Good prices were received, cows bringing from \$45 to \$75 per head, yearling heifers averaging \$66 a head, 2-year-old heifers with first calf \$70, 2-year-old steers \$65, and fifty calves, not early, an average of \$30 per head. Corn brought 60 cents to 66 cents a bushel, there being 2,500 bushels. The auctioneer was R. P. Hosmer, with S. H. Kemp as clerk.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

# Great Holiday Sale

## Maryville Furniture Company

**Beginning December 11**  
**Closing December 24**

We are adopting a new feature by putting on our winter sales just before instead of the Holiday Season, thereby giving Holiday Shoppers the benefit of our Greatly Reduced Prices in all Departments.

*Read Our Prices and See What We Can Save You:*

### LIBRARY TABLES

This is the greatest offering ever made in any sale and includes all Library Tables in stock. Many are in the new period designs. There could be no more appreciative gift.

\$ 6.50 Library Tables.....	\$ 5.48
8.00 Library Tables.....	7.20
9.00 Library Tables.....	8.20
10.00 Library Tables.....	8.95
12.50 Library Tables.....	10.45
13.50 Library Tables.....	11.90
15.00 Library Tables.....	13.65
16.50 Library Tables.....	14.20
18.50 and \$18.00 Library Tables.....	16.30
20.00 Library Tables.....	16.70
25.00 Library Tables.....	21.25

### ROCKERS

Few are the homes that have no place for a nice new Rocker. Get one for some member of the family at these reduced prices.

\$ 3.50 Rockers at.....	\$ 2.95
4.00 Rockers at.....	3.30
5.50 and \$5.00 Rockers at.....	4.39
6.50 and \$6.00 Rockers at.....	4.98
7.50 Rockers at.....	6.48
8.50 Rockers at.....	7.25
9.50 and \$9.00 Rockers at.....	8.19
10.00 Rockers at.....	8.69
12.00 and \$11.50 Rockers at.....	9.90
15.00 and \$14.50 Rockers at.....	12.70
18.50 Rockers at.....	14.60
20.00 Rockers at.....	16.39
22.50 Rockers at.....	18.90
25.00 Rockers at.....	18.98

### DINING TABLES

These are shown as low as \$4.95; others at \$7.10, \$8.90 and higher. Square designs; also some round tables lower than those quoted.

\$15.00 Tables at.....	\$13.20
17.50 Tables at.....	15.30
19.00 Tables at.....	16.95
20.00 Tables at.....	17.69
22.50 Tables at.....	18.80
25.00 Tables at.....	21.70
30.00 Tables at.....	26.20
35.00 Tables at.....	29.85
45.00 Tables at.....	39.45

### CHIFFONIERS

\$22.50 Chiffoniers at.....	\$18.60
\$18.50 Chiffoniers at.....	15.95
14.00 Chiffoniers at.....	11.90
10.00 Chiffoniers at.....	8.98

### BUFFETS

25 different patterns and finishes — A chance you seldom get to buy a Buffet at the prices we are giving for this sale.

\$65.00 Buffets at.....	\$56.95
60.00 Buffets at.....	52.45
45.00 Buffets at.....	39.50
40.00 Buffets at.....	34.69
\$35.00 Buffets at.....	29.48
32.50 and \$30.00 Buffets at.....	27.39
26.50 Buffets at.....	22.40
25.00 Buffets at.....	21.69
24.00 and \$22.50 Buffets at.....	19.40
19.00 Buffets at.....	17.25

### CHINA CLOSETS

Every China Closet in the house Specially priced.

\$50.00 China Closets at.....	\$43.75
35.00 China Closets at.....	29.69
27.50 China Closets at.....	24.20
25.00 China Closets at.....	21.75
22.50 China Closets at.....	16.69
18.50 China Closets at.....	16.45
14.50 China Closets at.....	12.95

### IRON BEDS

We have the best factories in the market on these lines.

Every bed specially priced.

\$ 3.50 Iron Beds.....	\$ 3.19
4.50 Iron Beds.....	4.19
5.50 Iron Beds.....	4.69
6.50 Iron Beds.....	5.60
7.50 Iron Beds.....	6.39
8.50 Iron Beds.....	7.30
9.50 Iron Beds.....	8.25
11.50 Iron Beds.....	8.95
14.50 and \$14.00 Iron Beds.....	11.69
18.50, \$17.50 and \$16.50 Iron Beds.....	14.69
20.00 Iron Beds.....	17.30

### RED TAG SPECIALS

Besides the above we have a number of specials on which we have a greater reduction. Some prices cut one-half. Watch for Red Tags.

We are quoting prices on a few lines only. But everything in the house will be reduced in price.

### SPECIAL DELIVERY

Holiday goods will be held at the store and delivered anywhere in the city the day you wish.

### SIDEBOARDS

\$17.50 Sideboards at.....	\$15.69
20.00 Sideboards at.....	17.39
25.00 and \$22.50 Sideboards at.....	19.98
30.00 Sideboards at.....	24.75

These are worth looking over.

### DRESSERS

Of all kinds and finishes. Mahogany, Caspian Walnut, Golden Oak, Bird's Eye Maple. Every one with a Special price.

\$75.00 Solid Mahogany Dresser at.....	\$63.30
45.00 Dressers at.....	37.35
40.00 Dressers at.....	32.70
38.50 Dressers at.....	33.45
35.00 Dressers at.....	29.95
30.00 Dressers at.....	24.80
28.50 Dressers at.....	23.35
25.00 and \$24.00 Dressers at.....	21.69
22.50 Dressers at.....	18.95
20.00 Dressers at.....	17.65
18.50 Dressers at.....	16.39
16.50 Dressers at.....	14.89
15.00 Dressers at.....	13.25
13.50 Dressers at.....	11.90
12.50 Dressers at.....	10.90
11.50 Dressers at.....	9.90

### BED DAVENPORTS

Take any one of them at these Special prices and you have a bargain and a good Christmas Gift.

\$45.00 Davenport at.....	\$39.75
40.00 Davenport at.....	34.85
35.00 Davenport at.....	31.80
30.00 Davenport at.....	27.35
28.50 Davenport at.....	26.69
\$25.00 Davenport at.....	22.20

### SPECIAL BARGAINS

We cannot quote prices on all lines, hence we list a few lines on which we will have special sale prices. These lines include the following:

Smoking Cabinets	Sewing Cabinets
Cedar Chests	Framed Mirrors
Magazine Racks	Costumes
Tea Wagons	Pedestals
Vacuum Sweepers	Foot Stools
Children's Rockers	Hall Trees
Brass Beds	Ladies' Desks
	Dressing Tables

You are invited to inspect these exceptional values which all know are unusual in the height of the Holiday Season. Come in and be convinced that these prices are *Real Reductions* and that this store is the *Pacemaker for Low Price*.

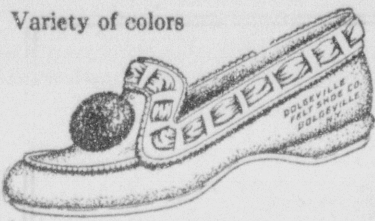
# Maryville Furniture Company

North Main Street

J. E. BAILEY, Manager



Variety of colors



As a Gift

## Comfy Slippers

Why not  
?

They combine all that  
could be desired in a  
Christmas Gift

- Ease
- Warmth
- Restfulness
- Foot Comfort

Appropriate

Have you  
Seen Them?

Montgomery Shoe  
Company

Fancy lump coal, \$3.25 per ton at  
car. Glover & Alexander. 10-H

## FARMING AS BUSINESS

FARMERS' WEEK SPEAKERS WILL  
DISCUSS SUBJECT.

Will Try to Tell Why One Man Makes  
\$2 Where Other Can Produce  
Only One.

Have you noticed that of two farmers, given equal advantages, one makes about two dollars while the other makes one, and have you tried to figure out just how he does this? The College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri has placed on the program of the Farmers' Short Course, the part of the College of Agriculture in the Farmers' Week program, January 3 to 7, men who have noticed this and who have found reasons for it. These men will talk about farming as a business.

Not all the course of lectures on the business side of farming will be taken up with discussions of prices, marketing, standardization and co-operation, though these will be considered. Men will talk about farm records—of what records should be kept, what they should show and in what form they are most easily made. Charts and lantern slides will show copies of actual records. There will be four lectures on farm records and accounts.

The importance to the farmer of a good-sized business, several sources of income, high yields, good live stock, and keeping all labor on the farm regularly employed at productive work will be illustrated by data taken from Missouri farms. Large numbers of successful farmers will be compared with less successful ones in an effort to find some reasons for the greater success.

Talks on filling corners, or the profit side of farming, will be made to show some sidelines that can be carried on to increase profits. For example, the profit from selling part of a crop of corn grown from pure bred seed for seed purposes with very little added cost of production, will be pointed out.

The talks on farm management and the business side of farming will be under the direction of O. R. Johnson,

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY  
DANDRUFF, AND HAIR  
STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair. Make It Thick,  
Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful  
at Once.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A 25-cent bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

D. H. Doane, S. D. Gromer and R. M. Green of the College of Agriculture. These men will be aided by practical farmers from various parts of the state.

### Albany Men at Burlington Junction.

A party of men from the vicinity of Albany were in Burlington Junction Friday investigating the success of the new channel of the Nodaway river. There is a move on foot to straighten the Grand river, near Albany, and the men came to Nodaway county to investigate the merits of the improvement.

## Christmas Parcels

MAIL EARLY.  
WRAP SECURELY.  
ADDRESS PLAINLY.

All Christmas packages should be mailed early so as to avoid congesting the mails; to wrap them securely to insure their safe carriage; and to address them plainly in order that they may be promptly delivered.

Insure your packages and where the value is \$5 or less, it may be insured for 3 cents in addition to the regular postage.

Parcels may be marked "Not to be opened until Christmas" or with a similar direction.

## Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

**H. L. Raines**  
JEWELER, OPTICIAN  
110 W. 3RD, JUST WEST PAST MAIN  
MARYVILLE, MO.

## MARK'S

5, 10 and 25c Store

For Your  
Christmas Candies,  
Nuts and Fruits

Here you will find large assortment to select from and you find our prices right. Teachers and Church Committees are invited to come in and get our prices.

South Side Square

## Notice

Having intalled a furnace in our Garage, we are prepared to store 15 or 20 cars at very reasonable rates. Have secured a First Class Mechanic and 2 experienced helpers and can now do your work promptly. Have 2 cars in livery. All calls answered promptly, day or night, careful drivers.

Farmers drive to a warm Garage, only 25c.

Tilson Brothers

## PUTNIK CREATED ARMY OF SERVIA

Military Maneuvers of Other Countries Helpful.

### SON OF A SCHOOLMASTER.

He Was Educated in Petrograd and St. Cyr and Served With Russians Against Turks and in All Balkan Wars—Going Through His Sixth Campaign at Sixty-eight.

Paris.—Field Marshal Putnik, chief of the general staff of the little Serbian army, is writing a memorable page of history with his troops, outnumbered more than two to one.

Putnik is going through his sixth campaign at sixty-eight years. A semi-invalid from asthma, he is compelled to spend the greater part of the day in an overheated room and never in the midst of his troops. He is the son of a schoolmaster who left the Banat of Hungary and the Servians there and emigrated to Belgrade. The son, the field marshal, has been a soldier all his life. His ability was early recognized by the Russian agents at Belgrade, and they arranged for his education at the military academy at Petrograd, where Grand Duke Nicholas obtained his training. From the Russian capital Putnik went to France to study at the Polytechnic and St. Cyr, this last full of memories of the great Napoleon.

As soon as his education was completed and he returned to his native land he was intrusted with the reorganization of the Servian army. It is the product of his labors. He got his baptism of fire in 1876 in fighting against the Turks. In 1877 again he was campaigning against the sultan's soldiers, side by side with the Russians. In 1885 he fought with the Serbs



Photo by American Press Association.  
FIELD MARSHAL PUTNIK.

against the Bulgars. In 1912 he was fighting the Turks with the Bulgars as allies in the first Balkan war, and at Kumanovo his gallant Serb army astonished western Europe, unacquainted with its ancient history or its modern prowess. The Turks were completely routed at Kumanovo, the Serbs, under their Crown Prince Alexander and General Bozovitch, capturing nearly 200 guns of different kinds.

In 1913 Putnik directed the Servian army which fought with the Greeks as allies against the Bulgars in the second Balkan war, and 1915 finds him struggling without hope of success for the existence of his nation against the Bulgars, aided by the soldiers of the two great Teutonic empires.

During the reign at Belgrade of King Milan, who was favorable to Austrian influence in Servia, General Putnik was deprived of his military command because he was too friendly to the Russians. When King Peter succeeded to the throne after the assassination of Milan's son, Alexander, and his consort, Queen Draga, Putnik was reinstated. During the interval he devoted himself to military studies and to the preparation of the war against Turkey which he clearly saw in Servia's ambition to extend her territory over what was in the brave days of old the Servian empire and which the sultan possessed.

He was often present at the military maneuvers in Russia, France and Germany, and from each of these armies he adopted reforms for his own. The French methods in artillery practice were introduced in Servia as well as the Schneider-Canet guns, while his infantry was armed with Mauser rifles. Speaking and reading five languages, the military history of the world was open to him, and his soldiers were drilled in tactics as good almost as the Germans'.

### SEASICKNESS FROM "MOVIES"

Recalls Trip Across Atlantic When Ships on Screen Rock.

Hutchinson, Kan.—John Stevenson, farm hand at a local dairy, had to be taken to the hospital after a picture show he saw. The films were of the navy, with a number of views showing boats rolling in high seas and all that. It was so realistic that it reminded Stevenson of his trip across the Atlantic and made him seasick.

The doctors were puzzled for quite a time to diagnose his trouble.

BREAKS A COLD IN  
JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Cold and Grippe Misery at Once—Don't Stay Stuffed Up!

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

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## Your Suit

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## BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

HAVE GROWN TO 613 WITH 6,563 Members.

Work Among Children Begun by University of Missouri Two Years Ago Enjoys Popularity.

The boys' and girls' clubs, under the direction of the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Missouri at Columbia, are doing for the country boys and girls what the manual training departments of the city schools are doing for city boys and girls. One Missouri county leads the United States in club membership. The clubs keep almost 7,000 country boys and girls at work along practical and definite lines.

The work of the boys' and girls' clubs was begun by the University about two years ago. Since that time, the organization has grown to 613 clubs with 6,563 members. Corn judging and sewing clubs are the most popular. Of the former there are 180 in the state. There are 271 of the latter. Other clubs deal with stock judging, poultry, pig raising, bread making and corn raising. Canning clubs are organized in the summer.

Membership in boys' and girls' clubs has practically doubled since June 1. Campaigns in Lafayette County about two months ago brought the organization of 211 clubs in that county. This is perhaps the largest number in any county in the United States. Clubs are working in about fifty Missouri counties now.

The boys' and girls' clubs are under the direction of Prof. R. H. Emberson, George W. Reavis and Miss Addie D. Root. Persons in charge of the clubs visit as many as possible during the year. Monthly rounds are made, holding contests and organizing new clubs. Members of the clubs range in ages from 10 to 18 years. Most of them are between 12 and 16 years old.

The University is trying now to aid as many rural clubs as possible. Any correspondence relative to the work of the clubs will receive prompt at-

For  
Mother

On Mothers' Day—or any time—a ring is always appropriate. Think how delighted she will be at your thoughtfulness.

Why not make it a family gift—each member contributing a share. She would appreciate the sentiment all the more.

Ask to see our large assortment. We want to show you those famous W-W rings—backed by a guarantee against lost or cracked settings. You'll be surprised at the low cost.

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tention if addressed to the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Missouri, Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henson and family left this morning for Trinity, Kan., where they will make their future home.

## Box and Pie Social

Saturday Night  
December 11th

## Common Sense School

15 miles east of Maryville  
1 mile east of Orrsburg  
and 4 miles southwest  
of Parnell.

## Will There Be A Victrola In Your Home This Christmas?



There is nothing that will bring more happiness to the entire family, all the year round than a Victrola. It is a source of education as well as entertainment. One may listen to the greatest artists in the world sing from the great operas, the most celebrated orchestras and bands, the most noted singers of gospel songs and the funniest comedians.

Victrolas from \$15.00 to \$250.00 in stock for your selection. Records—we carry a large stock of standard records and get the new records as they are issued each month.

### If Your Friend Has A Victrola

Buy her records for Christmas. We will be glad to aid in making suitable selections.

## PIANOS AND PLAYER-PIANOS

We have a large stock of Pianos and Players which we will be glad to demonstrate to any who are interested. We will take your order now and deliver at any time desired. Our Auto new Truck makes it possible to make quick deliveries anywhere.

Make Christmas Selections As Early As Possible.

Landon Music Company  
Conservatory Building

## Empire Theatre, Friday, December 10

THE PECULIAR COMEDIAN

## W. B. PATTON

In The Beautiful Play

## "The Good Samaritan"

BY W. BEALFORD NOTTAP

Extravagant Production. Big Cast. The Dramatic Event of the Season

Prices: Lower Floor 75c, Balcony 25, 50 and 75c  
Seats on sale at Reuillard's Tuesday.

Pay  
by Check

## Spend Now: Then Save

During every other month of the year this Bank advises. SAVE NOW SO YOU CAN SPEND LATER. Those who have saved their money in the months gone by are in position to spend in the Christmas Season.

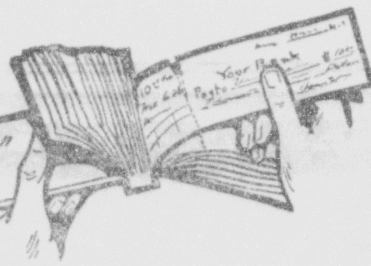
So, we say—Spend for Christmas—sensibly, wisely, and enjoy the pleasure of giving pleasure to friends and dear ones.

But do not lose sight of the value of having a Savings Account in which you can continue to build dollars upon dollars for the year ahead. Other Christmases will come.

And,—buy of Our Home Merchants.

Nodaway Valley Bank  
Maryville, Missouri

"Santa Claus  
Banks Here"



## Closing Out Sale

We will sell at public auction at the John Finnell farm, 4½ miles south-east of Burlington Junction and 3 miles northeast of Quitman, beginning at 10 o'clock, on

Thursday, December 16

The following property:

18 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Span mare mules 4 and 5 years old, wt. 2,050; span horse mules 4 and 5 years old, wt. 2,100; span horse mules 5 years old, wt. 1,700; sorrel mule 8 years old, wt. 1,150; bay mule 10 years old, wt. 1,200; bay mare 6 years old, wt. 1,200; black mare 6 years old, wt. 950; span extra good bay driving horses, well matched, 7 and 8 years old, wt. 2,400; bay horse 5 years old, wt. 1,150, good cattle horse; sorrel horse 10 years old, wt. 1,000; good cattle pony; sorrel mare 10 years old, wt. 1,100; 2-year-old mule, good family bay driving horse, wt. 1,150.

40 HEAD OF CATTLE—15 cows, 20 spring calves, two 2-year-old steers, two 2-year-old heifers, one black Poll bull.

200 HEAD OF HOGS—45 brood sows, 2 Poland-China male hogs, and remainder are stock hogs that will average about 150 lbs. These hogs are cholera immune, having had the double vaccination treatment.

10 Angora goats, 2,500 bushels corn, 30 tons of hay in barn.

IMPLEMENTS—2 farm wagons, 1 low wheel wagon, Deere corn planter, drill, 1 hay rake, 2 mowers, 1 gang plow, 1 sulky plow, 2 lists, 2 Badger plows; 2 Avery plows, 2 New Departure plows; 1 binder, Dempster 1½ h. p. gasoline engine and pump jack, 1 3-leaf harrow, 1 2-leaf harrow, 1 back, 2 sets Concord harness and numerous articles.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months credit, bankable note, 8 per cent interest. No property removed until terms are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.  
C. I. Hann, Clerk.  
W. W. Jones, Lunch.

Finnell Bros.





### W. B. PATTON AT EMPIRE

Comedian, Well Known Here, Will Give "Good Samaritan" Tonight.

W. B. Patton's new play, "The Good Samaritan," is considered by dramatic critics to be the best vehicle in which this popular star has ever appeared. From the title, one would imagine the play was of a biblical theme, and although it is of a more serious nature than any of Mr. Patton's former successes, it is far from being a moral lecture, etc., for it is filled with that droll comedy which exactly fits the peculiar comedian's particular style of acting.

It is a beautiful story of the present day and contains many situations that hold the audience breathless until the

climaxes are reached. Clean comedy predominates throughout the action of the play, although there are many opportunities for those who are apt to allow their tears to flow at the provocation of pathos.

Mr. Patton has appeared here during the past ten years in his other productions and has established a following among the more conservative patrons of the theater. On each succeeding visit he gains new admirers who enjoy worthwhile plays.

"The Good Samaritan" has been given a very elaborate production, its scenic equipment equals and surpasses the majority of the much heralded stellar attractions now traveling in this part of the country. Mr. Patton and his excellent company will give one performance in Empire theater Friday night.

### USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

When Bilious, Headachy, Sick for Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Bad Colds.

Get a 10-cent box. Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

### ADJUSTABLE FRONT SEAT

FINE FOR BOTH LONG AND SHORT MAN.

Makes Change From Rear to Front Seat While Inside Car Possible—Latest Improvement.

The inconvenience of the driver has to a great extent been eliminated by the installation of adjustable individual front seats, states A. G. Seiberling, General Manager of The Haynes Automobile Company, Kokomo, Indiana.

The great problem of the automobile manufacturer has been until recently, the arrangement of the front seats, so that convenience and comfort should be accorded the driver, who in most cases is not considered. This has been solved to a great extent by the installation of the adjustable individual front seats. Now the man whose anatomical construction is a trifle oversize can enjoy driving as well as the thin or average sized man, by simply adjusting a little bolt and sliding the seat back, giving plenty of body room and incidentally more comfort.

Changing of seats between the passengers in the rear seat with the front seat passenger is made possible by this division between seats without the bother and inconvenience of leaving the car.

The front seat passenger is also accorded more comfort, being removed from the interference of gear shifting. In this way the driver has easier access to the gear-shift.

In the working of the one-man top this opening becomes a convenience in putting up the top, making it unnecessary to climb over the seats.

Added space is also gained, making it possible to carry a suit-case or other luggage in the opening between the seats.

### CLEARMONT BLAMES MARYVILLE.

Says Booze Which Caused Trouble Sunday Came From County Seat. After telling of the drunken row at Clearmont Sunday, and expressing the shame of the citizens concerning it, the Clearmont News adds the following:

This disgraceful affair, as we understand it, can principally be laid on to Maryville, as we are informed that the liquor that caused the trouble was brought from that city Saturday night by some of the parties engaged in the row.

We hope that this will have some influence with the better people of our county seat when the time comes, which is not far off, to vote on the question of doing away with saloons in that city, and that they will cease to be the only place in the county where the nefarious business is carried on, thus being a nuisance to every community, not only in this but adjoining counties.

### PLAYING THE "LOVE GAME."

Edison Ninth Annual Film Against White Plague.

Football, Red Cross Seals and Tuberculosis are cleverly blended into a strong romance in "The Love Game," a motion picture produced by Thomas A. Edison for the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The picture will be released on Saturday, December 11th, and will be used as an aid in the Red Cross Seal Campaign throughout the country.

"The Love Game" is based upon a book by Thomas Crawford Galbreath, entitled "T. B. Playing the Love Game Consumption."

This is the sixth annual Red Cross Seal picture produced by Edison in co-operation with the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Rear Democrat-Forum want ads.

### FUN IN M. U. NAMES

UNIVERSITY MISSOURIAN WEAVES THEM INTO STORY.

### ARTICLES REPRESENTED

Animals, Bible Characters, Colors, Musical Terms and Trades—Student Statistics.

Flint and Steel struck together make Sparks. No, this is not merely the statement of a well-known fact. It is one of the combinations of names that can be found in the new student directory, published last week. Another is: Locke the Gates of your House with a Key.

To enumerate other combinations equally odd would require reams of paper and a day's hard work. A resume of the directory reveals almost enough animals to start a zoological garden. There are two Leopards, seven Campbells, one Wolfe, three Lyons, two Foxes, one Moose, one Hart, one Coon, one Mare, one Lamb, three Bulls and Steer. In the aquarium we find four fishes, one Herring and a Bass. In the aviary are two Quayles, two Cranes, two Crows and one Jay.

The theological side of life is well represented with a Church, a Chappell, a Bishop, a Nunn, a Pope, a Rector, a Proctor and Parsons. As relics of the age of chivalry are found five Kings, one Baron, two Earles, two Knights with their two Squires, a Page, a Palmer, a Harper and a Herald. The Bible also comes in for its share, with Daniel, Gideon, Israel, Jacob, Jesse, Jordan, Peter, Gabriel, Abram and Ruth.

Plenty of Colors Here. Only those who are color blind can fail to see the Browns, Blacks, Whites, Grays, Greens and Lavender in the directory. From the garden come the Rose, Daise and Lilley, while in the Field are found the Bean, Berry, Rice and Wheat.

The newspaper, of course, is on hand with a Weakley and a Daily. The automobile is represented by the Ford, Maxwell, Cole, Mitchell and Hudson. The musician gives us Musick, Medley, Major, Minor, a Horn and a Fife. Four poets are there: Longfellow, Poe, Burns and Browning.

In a Peck Baskett can be found an Apple and a Lemon. There is also plenty of Pewel for a Greathouse, for there is a Carr of Peet and Wood. There are two Summers and one Winter. There is a Boll of Cotton from which a Weaver makes his Webb. Curry Combs are found, but no brushes to go with them. There is a Barr over which only Coffey and Thee are served in a Stein. Here we find Sellers but no buyers.

At the present time many a Hollander would be glad to make a Journey of many Miles to get out of Flanders into Canada. Such a Mann is not only Keen but Sharp and Wise and displays Witt and Wisdom. Once safe on the Shore of the western continent, he could put into the Banks one Schilling, three Nichols, one Penny and some Pence, with no one to Dunn him.

A Few Things Missing. Two universities are represented in the directory, Cornell and Yale. There is a Bitter, but no sweet; an Old, but no young; a Long but no short; a Dry, but no wet; Love, but no hate; Lowe, but no high.

Military preparedness comes in, too, with Cannon and Ball, Pickett, Fort, Muster and Camp. Among the tradesmen are found the Baker, Fowler, Carpenter, Taylor, Miller, Smith, Farmer, Shepherd, Cowherd, Fisher, Warden, Gardiner, Porter, Brewer, Cook, Cooper, Turner, Glazier, Carter, Barber, Potter, Dyer and the Crook.

A perusal of names shows that there are thirty-one Smiths, twenty-three Davises, twenty Johnsons, eighteen Millers, sixteen Wilsons, fifteen Joneses and twelve Taylors.

Of the non-resident students there are: From Oklahoma, forty; Arkansas, twenty-seven; Illinois, twenty-five; Texas, twenty; New York, twelve; Kansas, nine; There are students from almost every state in the Union and from Australia, Panama, Canada, the Hawaiian Islands, Brazil, Japan and China.

Mrs. B. F. Hildreth left this morning for St. Joseph, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Charles Martin for a few days.

### CAFETERIA SUPPER

at the Christian Church

Saturday Evening

From 5 to 7:30

By Loyal Daughters

### Chiropractic

If you are hunting health, you will be satisfied with the game, if you try Chiropractic adjustments, W. J. LININGER, D. C., 409½ North Main St. Han, phone 3260.

## Winners in the Contest for Phoenix Silk Hose

Edna Wilson, 721 South Buchanan Street  
Hattie A. Noble, 810 East Third Street  
Gertrude Lahr, 302 South Vine Street

Each of the above guessed the exact number, 84 pairs and have received six pairs each free.

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THE STORE THAT IS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE YOU

### NOT EVEN SPLINTER

WILSON TELLS DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE ABOUT REPUBLICANS.

### TARIFF THE ONLY ISSUE

G. O. P. Hasn't Chance to Win With No Platform to Stand On, Says President.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 9.—President Wilson told members of the Democratic national committee, at a luncheon in the state dining room of the White House yesterday that the Republicans had no issue for the next campaign except the tariff, and that Democracy was certain to win.

"Our constructive work has started an irresistible movement which cannot be stopped," he declared. "Any one who tells you otherwise is talking through his hat."

Wilson said nothing to indicate whether he would again be a candidate for the presidency.

### Wilson Gets Confidential.

Throughout his entire talk, which dealt with subjects ranging from Democratic chances of victory to features of the "isolated" life of a chief executive, the president was informal. Taking his place at the head of the table, he thrust his hands into his trousers pockets, cast aside what he termed his "dress parade" language, and talked freely and confidentially.

Democrats of all factions greeted his remarks enthusiastically. They left the White House in buoyant spirits, declaring that his optimism had inspired them with new confidence. It was the first time, committeemen said, that their body had been received as a whole in the White House. They expressed regret that the text of the president's speech would not be given out, as they regarded it as a vigorous campaign argument.

### See No Real Opposition.

At the outset the president said he wanted the members to feel they were a part of a big family of which he was a member. He asked whether any one present could suggest any campaign argument other than the tariff which the Democratic opposition could advance and the committeemen all shook their heads. Nobody knew at this time, he added, what sort of a tariff measure must be framed to meet changing conditions resulting from the war.

Discussing parties and policies generally, the president insisted that the Democratic view was that the majority should rule, while that of their opponents was that a "board of trustees" should act for the people.

### Mexicans to Get Tired.

Touching upon the Mexican problem he said this same majority rule should apply in Mexico as well as in this country, without regard to the wishes of persons residing in other countries who hold Mexican property. He expressed the belief that, in due time, peace would come in Mexico when the people were thoroughly tired of raising disturbances.

The president faced a united committee, leaders declared tonight, rumors of threatened breaks between friends of Fred B. Lynch, the Minnesota committeeman, and Chairman William F. McCombs having been promptly disposed of.

McCombs and most of the other committeemen left for their homes tonight.

The chairman will name the convention committee on arrangements this week and within a month it will hold its first meeting in St. Louis.

20 Years Experience in Truss Fitting. When we take your measure for a Truss it must fit and do the work or no pay. See us for your Truss.

PARLE'S PHARMACY

## Have Christmas Money Next Year

By joining our Christmas Savings Club. Get started now. Makes saving easy.

The Farmers Trust Company

## Today

Is the 10th day of the month and the last day of Discount on your Electric Light Bills. Better hurry.

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Days to Christmas

Dec. 10

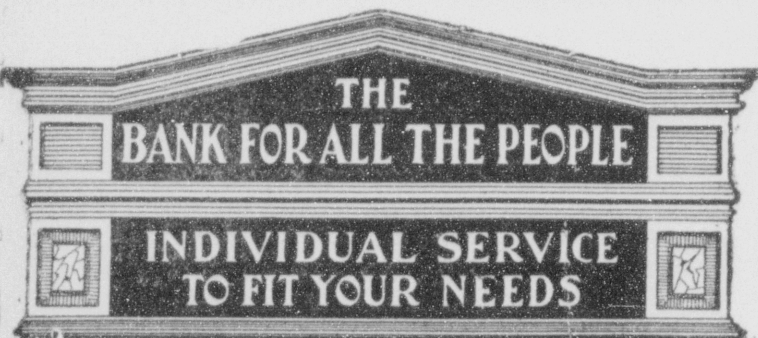
Remember the Jam in the Shops  
Just Before Christmas  
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Avoid It This Year by Shopping  
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## Our Great December Sale Is Now On

An Excellent Opportunity to buy a Coat, Suit, Dress, Blankets, Underwear and many other seasonable articles at money saving prices.

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### B. J. Post Congratulates Us.

The city of Maryville has passed an ordinance prohibiting the throwing of papers or other refuse or waste on the streets. It's a good ordinance and one that every town should have. Burlington Junction's streets used to look worse than sin, but our citizens are taking more pride, apparently, and we're about as clean as any town now. For some reason, the fellow who goes up the street throwing papers right

and left impresses us as the same fellow who spits all over the floor at home.

Mayor J. A. Barr is wearing a badly bruised eye this week as a result of an encounter with a Ford car. The mayor was going to do the good Samaritan act for A. Hagey by cranking his car, but the crank slipped, and so did Mr. Barr, his eyebrow striking the car with enough force to cut the flesh painfully.

So when you see the discolored optic, dear citizen, don't judge too hastily. Our city official has had no trouble of that kind.—Burlington Junction Post.

Yesterday on the Linville hotel register were the names of A. W. Runice, Chicago, and W. C. Runice, Kansas City. Both of these men are traveling salesmen, came in on the same train and neither had ever seen or heard of the other.

## THEIR GOLDEN DAY

MR. AND MRS. THEODORE PETER OF SKIDMORE CELEBRATE.

### HAD MARYVILLE GUESTS

Many Beautiful Gifts Given by Fifty Friends and Relatives at Gathering Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Peter, living near Skidmore, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Tuesday, and the following account is sent in by one of the guests:

December 7th being the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Theo. Peter and wife, Mrs. Peter had arranged to have their children present for a family reunion and was making preparations accordingly, at the same time a more elaborate preparation was being made by the children, neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Peter by springing a big surprise on them, and near the noon hour their place was taken by storm by a large number of neighbors, friends, relatives and children coming with well filled baskets of all the delicious eatables that heart could ask for.

Uncle Theo was spellbound with surprise. Aunt Lettie was overcome with joy.

Tables were soon spread and loaded with such tempting dishes of food as only those skilled in the art of culinary could prepare. It was certainly a joyous occasion. The dinner was being served from noon until about sundown. Significant of the 50th anniversary was the fact that just 50 persons were present, as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Farris, Mr. and Mrs. Al Deshon, niece and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Peter, also Ransom Wells of Clarksdale, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wells, Mrs. Robert Wells and daughter, Marie, of Maryville, Mo., Messrs. and Mesdames J. W. Linville, A. C. Barber, Ed Bosley, D. F. Mitchell, Will Strickler, Pearl Hays, Russ Peters and family, Lee Peters and family, Henry Wells, J. T. VanAusdall, Wm. Wells, Mrs. Eva Reaksecker, Misses Neva Reaksecker, Maude Noffsinger, Osa Bosley, Anna Bosley, Mr. Warren Reaksecker, also their sons, Eli, Claude and Rue Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter received many very, very valuable and appropriate gifts, such as a gold coin from each of their sons, also gold coin from Uncle Joseph Jackson of Maryville, gold brooch and gold set of shirt buttons by Ira Farris and wife, gold trimmed crystal berry set by Messrs. and Mesdames John, William, Henry, Edward and Mabel Wells, hand painted china creamer by Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hays and Maude Noffsinger, gold dessert spoon by Mr. and Mrs. A. Barber, and many others.

The rooms and tables were beautifully decorated by two most charming bouquets of chrysanthemums presented by Mrs. Robert Wells and Mr. J. T. Wells.

The day was ideal, the occasion golden and the assembly was composed of dear relatives and appreciative friends.

### 3 WOMEN GOOD GUESSERS

So Each Received the Six Pairs of Silk Hose Advertised by Haines Store.

The Phoenix silk hose guessing contest at the Haines store closed last night and three women of Maryville received six pairs of Phoenix silk hose today.

Mr. Haines advertised that six pairs would be given the woman guessing the correct number of hose on display in the north window. There were 712 that registered from Saturday morning 'till last evening at 6 o'clock, and three guessed the number 84, and about thirty ladies missed it only one.

Those who received the six pairs of hose were: Edna Wilson, 721 South Buchanan street, Hattie Noble, 810 East Third street, and Gertrude Lahr, 302 South Vine street.

**You Can Enjoy Life**  
Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a

**Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet**

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

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## SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

BY MISS EMILY COATS  
Hannam phone 42, Farmers phone 114

### Wales-Robinet.

Miss Fanny Wales and Roy Robinet of Guilford were united in marriage Wednesday evening in Savannah.

### To Be Married Sunday.

Marve Cornutt left this afternoon for Springfield, Mo., where he will be married Sunday night to Miss Helen Wray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wray.

### King's Herald to Meet.

The King's Herald band of the First Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Miss Mattie Price, at her home, on West Sixth street.

### Dinner Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Osborn had as their guests at dinner last evening Dr. W. C. Bagley of the Illinois university and the former's mother, Mrs. Virginia Osborn, of Richmond, Mo., who will spend the winter here.

### Club Met With Mrs. Appleby.

The Bloomdale Willing Workers club met at the home of Mrs. Dell Appleby Saturday afternoon, December 4. After a short business session a pleasant social hour followed, during which time the ladies busied themselves with various kinds of fancy work. Refreshments were served by the hostess and her daughter, Melba. The club adjourned to meet December 18 with Mrs. Robert Aley.

### Harvey Haines

#### Host at Dinner Last Evening.

Mr. Harvey Haines entertained last evening with a three-course dinner at his apartments. Those present were Misses Gladys Ford, Ella Noel, Bertha Schmauder, Stella McDowell, Anna Stapler, Elizabeth Heffern, Irene Redfield, Kate Vaughn, Clara Sherlock, and Messrs. Walter Todd and Lawrence Schumacher.

The dinner was served by Aaron Williams and Charles Wilson.

### Dinner Yesterday

#### Country Club at Knabb Home.

Mrs. J. J. Knabb entertained the country club with a 12 o'clock dinner at her country home, near Maryville, yesterday, in honor of her sister, Mrs. S. H. Huff of Hobson, Mont.

Covers were laid for Mesdames F. Hall, Arch Willhoite, T. M. Trullinger, J. C. White, Mary J. Willhoite, William Job, Sr., O. L. Shell, William Job, Jr., O. J. Willhoite, Misses Bessie Walker, Neva Walker, Roberta Willhoite, Margaret Marie Wells, Vivian Hall, Maudie and Thelma Huff, and Forrest Wells, Harold and Kenneth Huff, Mrs. Huff and the hostess.

### Palestine Aid

#### Met Thursday With Mrs. Lyle.

The Ladies' Aid of the Palestine church met Thursday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Frank Lyle, where they spent the afternoon piecing quilts and tacking comforts. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Bessie Lyle.

The members present were Mesdames Henry Anderson, Peter Brown, Gaylord Dilts, Wilson Ellsworth, Will Mountjoy, Clarence Charles, John Neal, Dick McDowell, Will Gex, Theodore Snowbarger, Miss Lizzie Russnogle. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Acklen, Mrs. Edward Goodpasture, Mrs. Edward Robinson and Miss Bessie Lyle.

### Union Society

#### Last Night at Christian Church.

The Union of Young People's societies gave a most enjoyable get-together social in the parlors of the First Christian church last night. In the vestibule each guest received a slip of paper with their name on it. At the reception room door a paper bag was tied on the right hand with the instructions to shake hands until the sack was worn out.

Under the leadership of Miss Mary Lewis there was something doing all the time and the evening was quickly and pleasantly spent in games. Refreshments were served by Misses Bessie and Hazel Porter, Bertha Anderson, Nina Evans, Mrs. Ed Gray and Mrs. Burnett.

A vote of thanks was adopted and sent Martin Lewis, Jr., who had given

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## Exceptional Furs

The Ladies of Maryville and vicinity now have an opportunity of inspecting the finest display of furs that was ever shown in this vicinity. Mr. J. J. Bennett, special representative of large Eastern Manufacturers, arrived this morning with an exceptional showing of fur sets and fur pieces in natural Cross Fox, Red Fox, Battleship Gray, Genuine Fisher, Fitch, Black Martin, Hudson Seal, Mink, etc.; and a full line of fur coats in Hudson Seal, Pony, etc., both trimmed and plain. Any selections made will be delivered from the trunks. The same broad guarantee as to value and satisfaction that goes with every sale made by this store.

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so much time to make the social a success, and was confined to his home by illness.

There were about one hundred and fifty present.

### Surprise at Harmony.

#### Coffelt Home Wednesday Night.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. S. A. Coffelt of Harmony gave her a very pleasant surprise party Wednesday night. Music and games were the diversions of the evening, after which a luncheon was served. The guests were: Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hunt and daughter, Lois, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ridlon, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kessler, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Coffelt, Misses Mary Kessler, Mildred Trullinger, Maxine Edwards, Winifred Edwards, Sophia Edwards, Charlotte Green, Caroline Edwards, Ruth Ridlon, Mary Marshall, Marie Lewis, Lola Woodburn, Pearl Lewis, Blanche Bloomfield, Messrs. Ralph Kessler, Floren Porter, Harry David, Vilas Porter and Earl Porter, Carl Kessler, George Lewis, Markie Heflin, Ralph Lewis, Paul Kessler, Elmer Woodburn, Glen Woodburn, Jack Eisman, Newt Moore, Virgil and Wayne Kessler, Roy Moore, Harold Ridlon and Oral Porter.

### Married by Rev. Cox.

Mrs. Jessie Ewing and James Rolan Braniger of this city were married last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Cox by Rev. Cox. R. S. Braniger of this city, an uncle of the groom, attended the wedding. After the ceremony, they left on a honeymoon trip to Kansas City and Waterloo, La., and at the latter place they will visit Mr. Braniger's brother, Charles Braniger. They will return to Maryville in about two weeks and will make their home here.

### Dinner at Bellows Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows entertained at a six o'clock dinner last evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Bellows' mother, Mrs. J. R. Brink. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, and daughter Margaret Louise, Mrs. George P. Bellows and Mrs. M. J. Honnold and the hosts.

### Meeting Postponed.

The young ladies' Missionary society of the First Methodist church was to meet tomorrow afternoon has been postponed until next Saturday afternoon, December 18.

### Arts and Crafts Tomorrow.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. M. Chandler.

## Holiday Times are Approaching Rapidly

It is a good idea to buy your gifts early. We make this suggestion, because this month is a busy month for you and you will no doubt appreciate the suggestion of looking at our beautiful and artistic stock of

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There is no gift that will convey the gift spirit more fully than a Suit or Overcoat — It's something more than a passing pleasure. Norfolk or Little Men's.....\$3.50 to \$8.50 Overcoats in all styles.....\$3.50 to \$10.00

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Gun metal, tan, in all new and staple shapes. Button or Lace.....\$3.50 to \$4.50 Work Shoes.....\$2.50 to \$3.50

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### MUFFLERS AND SCARFS

In silk or wool.....50c to \$2.00

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Linen Initials in Longfellow style, put up three in a box at.....25c each Silk Initial in block style letters.....50c each Fine pure linen, hand hemstitched.....50c each Others in sanitary envelopes at 10c, three for 25c two for 25c and 25c straight.

### HOSIERY

Holeproof, Phoenix and Black Cat — Three of the most nationally demanded makes to be had.

Include a box of Men's Holeproof, guaranteed six months at.....\$1.50 Three pairs of silk guaranteed three months at.....\$2.00

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Those who have had cakes ruined by jarring the stove, slamming the oven door or a heavy footstep, may have wondered how the dining car chef can turn out such marvelous biscuits, hot breads and pastry when his oven is being incessantly jarred and jolted and shaken by the motion of the train.

To get pastry to raise and stay raised under these conditions, a baking powder must be used that continues to give off its leavening gas—that sustains the raise—until the dough is baked through.



Dining Car Chefs have found a baking powder exactly suited to their needs in K C and you will find it just as well suited to your requirements. K C is really a blend of two baking powders, one active as soon as moistened, the other requiring both moisture and heat to start the generation of leavening gas. No matter how moist and rich you make your cake, K C Baking Powder will sustain the raise until a crust is formed and all danger of falling is past.

K C Baking Powder is pure and healthful. It is guaranteed under all pure food laws, and is guaranteed to please you. And it is sold at a reasonable price—no baking powder should sell for more.

Try a can at our risk and be convinced.

### MUST GET TOGETHER

(Continued from page 1.)

Moore of Nashville, Tenn., was vigorously applauded today at the national conference of the commission on church and country life. Rev. Moore was one of several speakers who attacked the spirit of aloofness maintained by some churches, and who urged further federation of religious organizations. Henry Wallace, Des Moines agricultural editor and former member of Roosevelt's country life commission, in an address deplored the system of tenantry and urged longer leases for farms.

The conference will close tonight with an address by President Wilson. Business sessions of the executive committee of the federal council of churches will end then also.

Rev. Dr. Moore explained he did not advocate the breaking down of church denominations, but he said co-operation "is now absolutely essential to adequate religious life and service."

"Some denominations have an exalted opinion of their providential and

predestined importance and are not inclined to co-operation of and kind," he added. "They claim to be the Lord's peculiar people—and they are. Denominational conceit seldom lends itself to the promotion of other than self-interests."

"The time has come when denominational co-operation in both city and rural church life is practically essential to any great social and religious movement. The place to begin is not in the local community, however, but in the denominational councils of those organizations directly involved."

"No minister has a moral right to preach such a sermon or express his beliefs in such a way as to give offense to persons holding different doctrines. It is denominationalism that has divided Christian people into feeble bands and made the support of competent ministers impossible. Present conditions cry out against further postponement of a great co-operative effort by churches. I hope every county in the United States will have such church federations soon, and that the churches of each city will band together for their common cause." Rev.

Dr. Moore is secretary of home missions for the Methodist Episcopal church, South.

### ELEVEN REAL NEIGHBORS

PARNELL FOLKS LATH, FLOOR AND SHINGLE HOUSE.

Robert Riley Burned Out Nov. 6, and Friends Have Helped With Several Donations.

The folks over in that Parnell country are real neighbors. Robert Riley and family suffered a fire November 6, which completely destroyed their home and all their goods while they were away from home.

At that time several donations were made to tide the family over until they were able to get new goods. Last Wednesday a group of eleven men gathered at the Riley farm for a shingling, flooring and lathing of the new Riley house.

Dinner was served by Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Amos Riley, mother of Mr. Riley. The eleven who contributed the work were Roy Carey, Nelson Killam, John T. Surplus, Wallace Kennedy, A. Addy, Charles A. Shelman, Fay Carmichael, Alva J. Sparks, "Babe" Heslin, Clarence Gonser and Frank Haines.

### MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Dec. 10.—WHEAT—December, \$1.00; May, \$1.06½.  
CORN—December, 63½; May, 67c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000.  
HOGS—Receipts, 19,000. Market 10 to 20c lower; top, \$6.60; bulk, \$6.30 to \$6.55.  
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000. Market 10c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.  
HOGS—Receipts, 57,000. Market 10 to 20c lower; top, \$6.80.  
SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000. Market 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Dec. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100. Market strong.  
HOGS—Receipts, 12,000. Top, \$6.55.  
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000. Market strong.

Redpath-Yawter President Here.

T. F. Graham, president of the Redpath-Yawter Chautauqua system, was in Maryville today conferring with local members of the Chautauqua committee about next year's program.

J. H. McGinnis Stricken Again.

J. H. McGinnis, who has been confined to his bed at his home in Burlington Junction since the 11 of July with paralysis and heart trouble, suffered another stroke Tuesday forenoon and his condition is very serious. Mr. McGinnis has had a very hard siege, being unconscious much of the time since his first illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gex of Graham announce the birth of a girl yesterday.

UNDER THE SAME ROOF.

Live Five Generations of the Macomber Family at Atlas, Mich.

Atlas, Mich.—Living under the same roof here are representatives of five generations, ranging in age from nine to three years to seven months. The roof is that of Mr. and Mrs. John Macomber, with whom live Mrs. Macomber's mother and her daughter, granddaughter and great-grandson. Mrs. Margaret McCandlish, though ninety-three, is in fairly good health.

During her youth in Scotland, where she was born, she lived near the estate of the Gladstones and frequently attended the same church where William E. Gladstone worshipped. She came to America in 1842, and two years later was married to John McCandlish, also a native of Scotland. They came to Michigan in 1847 and took up land near Atlas.

SCIENCE TO AID PRISONERS.

Philadelphia Will Treat Them as Sick Instead of Criminal.

Philadelphia.—Present methods for treating prisoners at the House of Correction are to give way to the most advanced practice. Science, as represented by a board of prominent physicians, will consider the men and women interned there in the light of sick people and not as criminals. Their ailments will be classified, and treatment calculated to make useful men and women of them will be put into effect.

After their discharge they will be recommended to various dispensaries for further treatment and will be watched by social workers. Four inspections a year will be made by the board.

### BEGGAR GETS \$2,000,000.

Blind Man of Webb City, Mo., Then Wishes His Sight Restored.

Webb City, Mo.—To buy back his eyesight, to own a humble home, which he now rents and to start a bank in Webb City are the three first ambitions of the Rev. Z. R. Cotton, a blind street beggar here, who was told that he had inherited more than \$2,000,000, of which \$650,000 is cash, through the recent death of his only brother, Powell Cotton, at Richmond, Ark.

After being told of the fortune the blind man continued throughout the day soliciting alms at the postoffice door, but will leave shortly for Richmond and will stop at Tulsa, Okla., to consult a doctor who has assured him that for a stated sum, formerly fabulous to Cotton, his eyesight can be restored perfectly. Cotton has been blind since a sickness twenty-two years ago. He is sixty-three years old.

### WHALE BATTLES WITH SHIP.

Monster Nearly Founders Whaling Vessel.

Seattle, Wash.—Showing the effects of a desperate battle with a huge sperm whale while ten miles south of Mount Edgecumbe, Kruzof island, near the entrance of Sitka sound, the whaling steamer Star III, Captain L. P. Halls, Gunner G. Earling, reached Eagle Harbor after a successful season.

While taking one of the big mammals, which members of the crew described as "just like an ocean liner," the big fellow charged the steamer, damaging the gunwale, second towing hook on the starboard side and bending and crumpling a plate in the bulwarks for a distance of ten feet. The weight of the whale nearly swamped the little steamer.

### RESEARCH CENTER IS URGED FOR ENGINEERS

Would Have Laboratories Like Those of Germany.

New York.—Research laboratories the equal of those of Germany are under consideration by Columbia university, according to the report of Dean Frederick A. Goetze of the Graduate Engineering school.

After outlining the successful research work accomplished by Dr. Walter Rittman and Professors Armstrong and Pupin in the field of wireless telephony and telegraphy Dean Goetze's report says:

"There is no doubt that much could and should be done to extend our engineering research and to make it of even greater value to the university and to the industries of our country."

"Many of us are firmly convinced that this can best be accomplished by establishing on a site of ample area easily accessible to the university, but among neighbors who will not be too particular as to the smells and noises which we will create, laboratories adequately equipped for all branches of industrial engineering research and administered by the heads of our engineering departments, to which manufacturers and practicing engineers could turn for the solution of problems which are beyond the scope of their equipment or the capabilities of their force."

"In my mind these laboratories should be patterned after those of the German Reichsanstalt, connected with the Technische Hochschule at Charlottenburg, and located in the outskirts of Berlin."

"If Columbia were to establish laboratories of this kind, equipped with every facility for experimentation and research, with the staff of our technical schools available for consultation and advice, manufacturers and individual experts would be glad to avail themselves of these facilities and to establish research fellowships for solving their industrial and engineering problems."

"The cost will depend largely upon the site, which should be close to tide-water and railroad facilities. We would need at least \$500,000 for a start and for extension and endowment later on from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000 will be needed."

### GIRLS GET BIRD CATCHER.

Wellesley Students Now to Dissect Sparrows Instead of Cats.

Boston.—Wellesley college, the home of beauty and culture, now has an official sparrow chaser. He is John H. Oakes, and he receives \$40 a month for catching birds for dissection.

Cats were used formerly at Wellesley for dissecting, but this was discontinued when one of the college janitors was haled into court on the charge of stealing a prize cat. President Ellen Fitz Pendleton was threatened with a summons by Chief of Police Hiram Brown, and cats thereafter were shunned.

Oakes has a number of traps which he places in the fields around Wellesley.

Rare Cactus Blossoms.

Chicago.—A night blooming cactus in the yard of M. G. Peterson at 1419 Emerson street, Evanston, which blooms once every six years, started to flower, was in full bloom in a few hours and then closed for another six years. The family almost missed seeing the plant in full bloom. They were at an amusement park and didn't get home until the blossoms started to close. The flower is about ten inches in diameter.

### DONS OF OXFORD WORK AS NAVVIES

Hasten Munitions to the Men on Battle Line.

### DEBUTANTES GIVE HELP.

Professors, Tutors and Dignified Masters of Colleges Hoe Spuds, While Some of the Society Women Sort Crops Into Grades—Proceeds of Sale Go to Hospitals.

Oxford, England.—Prominent in Oxford's war work is Sir William Osler, the professor of medicine. He is in charge of the Red Cross hospitals established in the Examination Schools building.

One of the internes and a valuable assistant of Sir William's is Dr. W. C. Davison, a Rhodes scholar from New York city, who went to Serbia on Red Cross work for six months last year. He is now working on the open air sleeping quarters for wounded in College gardens.

Professor Gilbert Murray, Professor W. J. Sollas, Professor F. Y. Edgeworth and Professor R. R. Marrait have engaged themselves at a nearby arsenal to take the places of the regular

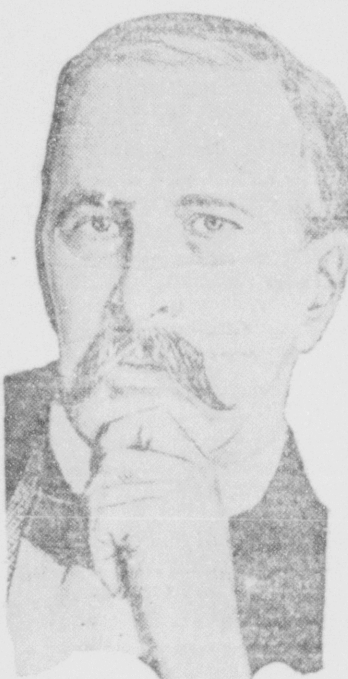


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SIR WILLIAM OSLER.

lar ordinance men and load trucks and shift shells for three ten hour days a week.

There are fifty professors and 275 others, too old or otherwise unfit for military service, who form this volunteer organization, called, after one of its founders, Godley's army.

"Gilbert Murray is a private in the ranks, and it's great to see him," said one of his fellow dons. "He was paired off with a corporation road mender, and a rough one, too, to shift 175 pound cases of soap to trucks for Calais and the front. By the end of the day the pair got quite chummy, and when after each trip to the truck with a case of soap the road mender would say, 'Steady on, mate, and easy does it,' nothing daunted, the famous translator of Euripides replied, 'Easy it is, mate!'"

The don went on to tell me that the professors, lawyers' clerks and others of sedentary habits had got over their first handicap of tender hands and aching backs, and they now do four times as much as an equal number of regulars in one of their ten hour days.

"Oh, they jolly well keep steaming all the time," he said. "Of course, they wouldn't be able to keep it up every day, but they are enthusiastic because they are volunteers."

Professors from high Tory Oxford are playing the part of navvies to aid in the munition work of Liberal Lloyd-George, but it is only one example of the many at Oxford, where war is making manual laborers of all classes.

Another is that of the wealthy lady who lent a piece of ground as a novel way of giving work to the unemployed and at the same time furnishing a crop of potatoes. The unemployed who were at the same time unfitted by age or physical health for military service got busy and planted potatoes. But by the time the crop was ripe permanent jobs left vacant by war had fallen to their lot, and the lady found herself with a crop of potatoes in the ground, but no unemployed to get them out.

She called for volunteers from her friends at the university, and the result was that professors, tutors and dignified masters of colleges left their libraries and went out to hoe spuds, while some of the debutantes busied themselves with sorting the crop into grades.

The crop was advertised for sale. Many of the dons who had dug the potatoes took a personal interest in their ultimate destination, so that the lady cleared more than \$100 for the military hospitals.

Patient Weighs 500 Pounds.

Tulsa, Okla.—Miss Ada Boyd of Wyandotte is so large that a dory was required to convey her from a railway station to a hospital to undergo an operation. Miss Boyd weighs 500 pounds. She is the largest patient ever registered at the institution.

### HOBBO FRAT DISBANDS.

Injury to "Bumming" Freshman Deicides Missouri Students.

Columbia, Mo.—Announcing that they believed it best for the interests of the university, the members of the Quo Vadis club, the hobo fraternity at the University of Missouri, figuratively hopped off the blind baggage and decided that hereafter they would "ride the cushions."

The members voted to disband following the injury recently to a freshman who was "bumming" into Moberly. The discipline committee of the university issued a statement exonerating the club and saying the student injured had no connection with the organization.

The Quo Vadis club was founded in 1907 on the principle of "a thousand miles without a red." It numbered in its membership many of the leading students, including several athletes. Jack London, Homer Croy and J. Eads How were honorary members.

### ONE BOY, ONE SCHOOL.

And One Teacher For One Loneliest Pupil at Chillicothe, Mo.

Chillicothe, Mo.—Livingstone county has the smallest possible school in the world—it has just one pupil. But despite the small enrollment it keeps grinding steadily away, confining its activities principally to the textbooks and eschewing football and other forms of athletics.

The school in question is in District No. 2 in Medicine township, and Miss Mary Phillips is the teacher. The list of matriculants has not been published. When the term began five weeks ago it was anticipated that a number of children would enroll, but only this one boy came, so the teacher started in with the course.

### EASTERN SYCAMORE LARGEST SHADE TREE

Worthington (Ind.) Prize Winner Is 150 Feet Tall.

Washington.—"That the largest shade tree in the United States, as brought to light by the prize contest held by the American Genetec association, should turn out to be the eastern sycamore is not surprising," according to a statement issued by the forest service.

"The sycamore has long been regarded as the largest deciduous tree in North America, and its range of growth is hardly second to that of any other broad leaved tree. For it can be found from Maine to Florida and as far west as Kansas," says the report.

The prize winner was a sycamore at Worthington, Ind., which is 42 feet 3 inches in circumference and 150 feet tall. Foresters are recommending the sycamore for city planting because it is peculiarly able to withstand the smoke, dust and gases incident to urban life.

It is as resistant to insects as almost any other species and is a quick grower. At ten years a healthy sycamore usually is large enough for shade as well as for decorative purposes.

There is hardly any eastern species so picturesque. With its mottled bark and its stature and conformation the sycamore has a marked individuality and cannot be mistaken for any other species either in the summer, when the foliage conceals its structural form, or in the winter, when the leaves are absent.

A common objection to the sycamore as a lawn tree is its habit of dropping its leaves before the autumn. From this characteristic it is sometimes called a "dirty tree."

The chestnut and the black walnut are the largest nut bearing trees in this country. The contest disclosed a chestnut tree near Crestmont, N. C., which is thirty-three feet four inches in circumference and about seventy-five feet tall.

The contest brought forth photographs and authentic descriptions of 237 trees in all parts of the United States, making a distinctly valuable contribution to existing knowledge of native trees. It was found that in all probability there is no living elm larger than the "great elm" at Wethersfield, Conn., which is twenty-eight feet in circumference and about 100 feet tall and is estimated to be 250 years old.

Many remarkable specimens of species which ordinarily attain only small sizes were unearthed by the contest, furnishing new records of maximum growth. A sassafras was brought to light at Horsham, Pa., which is fifteen feet ten inches in circumference at four feet from the ground. Not long before this a Georgia tanoak claimed that it had the largest sassafras tree in the world, though this tree was only something over seven feet in circumference.

A white birch was found in Massachusetts with a girth of twelve feet two inches. A pecan was found in Louisiana with a circumference of nineteen feet six inches, and a catalpa in Arkansas with a girth of sixteen feet.

Accident Reveals Hoard.

Sunbury, Pa.—Missing his horse, Allen Moore, an Augusta farmer, found that it had fallen into an abandoned well. A block and tackle operated by twenty men hauled the animal out and also an old rusty bucket with a sealed top, which had caught in one of the horse's shoes. When Moore cut the top of the bucket, out rolled a stream of silver coins of Spanish mintage of a face value of about \$3,000.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

## WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.  
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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

### Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

LOST—Small gold class pin, M. H. S. 1913. Return to this office. 9-11\*

WANTED—Young woman desires housework. Inquire this office. 8-10

LOST—Silver high school ring, with engraving "16—H. M. S." Return to Mattie Marie Clayton. 8-10

CAR LOAD GOOD COAL here, \$3.50 ton at car. Delivered in city at \$4.00. Come and see it. Yowell & Sons. 7-8-9

STRAYED—Bay driving horse strayed from Star barn Tuesday night. Return to Dale Bellows at Parkdale farm. 8-10

LOST—White Collie dog with fawn colored face and ears. Reward offered. H. P. Powell, Hanamo phone 15P. 9-11

### For Sale.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Now empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-26

FOR SALE—139-acre improved farm, 6½ miles from Maryville. Phone 414 Bedison. 7-13\*

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-24

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 27-28

FOR SALE OR RENT—120 acres, 3½ miles good R. R. town, school house and church close. Liberal terms given buyer. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 1-11

FOR SALE—Good upland prairie hay, per ton, \$8.00 in stack, \$19.00 delivered. Sawyers & Neff, Farmers phone 8-13. 8-11

FOR SALE—First class, improved model soprano saxophone in case. Bargain. Inquire Lester Bennett, Montgomery Shoe Co. 9-11

FOR SALE—Fine residence property in West Maryville. Two lots, good well, 8-room house and outbuildings; all in good condition. Plenty of fruit. For particulars write H. S. Schoonover, administrator, route 5, Maryville, or inquire at Real Estate Bank. 8-31\*

FOR SALE—White Indian Runner ducks, Carlisle strain, white egggers, 75c each. Farmers phone 11-17

FOR SALE—Shorthorn cattle, either sex. Gus King, Clyde, Mo. 3-9\*

FOR SALE—If taken at once, all my household goods will be offered at private sale. Phone Hanamo No. 30. J. D. Frank, 611 North Market street. 10-13

BOX BALL ALLEY for sale cheap. In first class condition. You can put this in some of these small towns and make \$100 per month clear off of it. Yeo Brothers, Maryville, Mo. 10-13

### Oxley for Sheriff.

The Good Hope correspondent of the Hopkins Journal says: We hear the name of Willis Oxley mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for sheriff "when the time comes."

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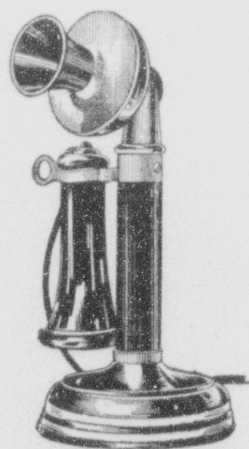
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